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LOOM FIXERS STRIKE.

FOUR MEN WANT THEIR OLD PAY RESTORED AT FAULKNERS.

Before the Shut-down They Got $2 Per Day; Now They Get Only $1.44—There Are Other Grievances.

The four loomfixers at Faulkner's mills went on a strike this morning for higher wages or rather a restoration of the old wages. Previous to the last shut down the men were getting $2 per day but upon resuming work last February were cut to 18 cents per hour or $1.44 a day.

Up at Faulkner's there are 21 looms to a section, the largest in the country, it is claimed, and the looms are the fastest in the city, so the four strikers say.

In Collinsville there are 18 looms to the section; the Navy Yard, 16; and the Middlesex mills 18 to the section. Last Friday the men sent a petition to Fred Faulkner requesting a restoration of the old wages. They requested a conference but Mr. Faulkner would not have it and refused to grant the request for higher wages. Finally the men went to him Saturday but received no satisfaction and so declared to strike.

When all help is employed, there are six loomfixers but at present there are only four in the mill.

It is said that by the end of the week the weavers may come out.

Many of the weavers asked for and received an advance in wages last week.

Fred Faulkner when asked about the trouble laughed and said: "You mean the loomfixers. I guess all they want is free advertising."

LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Alexander of Tewksbury is ill with the grip.

Prof. Wells' class assembly will occur tonight instead of tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle of Reade street have gone on a visit to New York.

Crescent wheels both gentlemen and ladies $75. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

Miss Ethel Bennett is taking a short respite from her studies at St. Mary's school, Concord.

Columbia bicycles always have and do stand at the head. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

The Madrigal society closes its first season's work tomorrow evening with a concert recital in Runels' hall.

It is stated that Gov. Greenhalge will give the working people a reception at Huntington hall in the near future.

Mr. George H. Russell, the laundry proprietor, is smiling hugely over the arrival of a boy, which happy event occurred on Wednesday last.

While the Lowell Machine shop resumes full time, no new help is needed, or the number of employes increased from the present number.

In addition to the competitive drilling at the field day of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment at Reading, May 29, there will be also a program of sports to take place after the drill, governed by the A. A. rules. Several Lowell cadets will enter the events.

Alex Morse living on Pond street, while repairing a shaft in Stott's mills in Belvidere, fell or slipped from a staging, yesterday morning, and in falling hit his chin on a pulley. A bad lacerated wound was dressed by Dr. Mulcahey.

Mr. Abbott Lawrence accompanied by Mr. George Dearborn went up the Concord river to Concord Wednesday; when within five miles of the town they were obliged to camp for the night as at that point the river spread over several acres of meadow and it was too dark for them to find the outlet.

Great cut price week in ladies' fine Capes and Jackets at the Criterion to introduce the products of the most noted manufacturer in America. Events this week: Tuesday, $1.00 for 50c. window display. Thursday Medium window display. Saturday Grand Redfern, novelty window, every lady should see them.

DEATHS.

James Harrington, aged 12 years, son of Thomas and Catherine Harrington, died yesterday morning at their home on Front street.

Thomas J. Duffy, aged 37 years, died last evening at his home on Worthen street. Deceased was a letter carrier for a number of years, and was exceedingly popular with the employes of the post office. He was a member of the old 11 N.C.R.'s, and a charter member of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., and was also connected with the Royal Arcanum. Deceased had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and friends are requested not to send flowers.

Mrs. Susan Brown, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Stanley, 34 Marginal street. She was the widow of the late Hiram Brown, formerly of Billerica. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Colby, widow of the late Amos Colby, died Friday at the home of her son, Dr. E. A. Colby of Gardner, Mass. She was the mother of Mrs. B. F. Crosby of this city.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merrick sts.

James F. O'Donnell,
PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.
Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

FINNERTY

Chicago Irishman Speaks on Ireland's Glories.

FINE DISPLAY OF ELOQUENCE AND PATRIOTISM.

Big and Enthusiastic Meeting at Associate Hall.

Hon. John F. Finnerty of Chicago, paid another visit to our city yesterday, upon the invitation of the local Hibernian lodges, and in the evening, under their auspices, he lectured in Associate hall before an audience outnumbering that which greeted him on his previous visit.

"The song and story of Ireland," was his subject, and in treating it he was ably assisted by the eminent vocalist, Mr. M. J. Murphy, of Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. James O'Sullivan called the meeting to order, and after welcoming those present introduced Mr. John A. O'Hearn as chairman of the evening. Mr. O'Hearn's remarks were very complimentary to Mr. Finnerty, and he related several incidents in connection with the life of the ex-congressman, whose name is known to all Irishmen.

The lecturer was greeted with prolonged applause. His subject was divided into six parts, each relating to some particular period in Irish history. He reviewed the early history of Ireland dwelling upon Ireland's ancient glory.

He attributed the narration of much of Ireland's history to her enemies. The coming of St. Patrick, and the conversion of the country to christianity: the battles with the Danes were related in glowing language. In speaking of the battle of Clontarf, the lecturer uttered one sentence full of significance. He said: "There are many today who boast of their Anglo-Saxon blood, but at that day they did not present a very heroic attitude."

Art. McMurrough, from whom the speaker said, the Murphy's and Cavanaub's are descended, received considerable attention, for his effort to wipe out the whole English plantation, after the English had gained a foothold in that section of Leinster, known as "the pale." McMurrough succeeded in defeating Richard III. who landed in Waterford in 1395, with a large force.

His description of the "Wars of the Roses" was excellent. By quoting English history he showed that the "Wars of the Roses" surpassed the famous story of the Kilkenny cats. Irishmen contend for a principle; but when the Plantaganet homes of York and Lancaster robbed, murdered, poisoned and assassinated their own kin, they fought to show that the great-grandfather of one was born a short while before the other.

The next portion of the lecture was devoted to the time of Queen Elizabeth and Hugh O'Neil, and during his description, the audience could scarcely restrain their feelings as the events were pictured to them.

Attention was given to the landing of Strongbow and the time of Henry II also to Henry VIII who when he saw that he was unable to secure a divorce left the Catholic religion and became a pope in England. He showed the tyrannical disposition of Queen Elizabeth and the way she was tricked by Hugh O'Neil with whose fine bearing and figure she was so overcome that he met treachery with treachery and stored up ammunition for big battles which came to the glory of Ireland.

Cromwell's ability as a statesman and warrior was recognized but the speaker said: "It is not as a soldier that Cromwell is hated in Ireland; it is for his cruelty and treachery. For his massacre of men, women and children." He denounced Cromwell as a coward, tyrant and blood-thirsty brute.

Reference to Sarsfield and William III permitted the speaker to correct many mistaken ideas of the circumstances leading up to the battle of the Boyne. The spirit of Irish-American Catholics today may be summed up as follows: "We take our religion from Rome but not our politics."

The description of the battle of Fontenoy proved the oratorical treat of the evening. It was one grand climax, and when he pictured the 16,000 Irish exiles in the French army turning the tide of battle and rushing down on the English troops with cries of "Remember Limerick," and "Down with the Sassanach," the audience could no longer control itself and burst out into one grand roar of applause.

The seige of Limerick was next described, "the treaty broken ere the ink wherewith 'twas writ was dry," the exile of the Irish troops into France and their glorious career on European battlefields. The speaker next referred to the rebellions of 1798 and subsequent years, and showed how thousands of Irishmen, both Protestants and Catholics, had to seek refuge in America, And the Irish exiles, he said, afterwards fought gloriously against the old foe when the American colonies rebelled. After enumerating many instances in which Irishmen had rendered signal services to the American cause on land or sea, he said: And yet there are insignificant but vicious people today who say that the men who would be honored and trusted by Washingon and Lincoln are disloyal to this country. A few renegades who left here when we became independent and went down to New Brunswick to live under George of England, now come back to taunt us with disloyalty. (Prolonged applause.)

Then came the young Ireland party under Grattan, Emmet, O'Connell, Parnell and Gladstone. In conclusion the speaker said:

As long as the English flags floats above Ireland she will never rise to anything. Either the last Irishman must perish or the English empire must be ripped into pieces. Coming down to late years we had a man whom we treated ungratefully, Parnell. He fell through human frailty, but the English did not renounce Henry VIII, or the Georges, or the Edwards, and they adore the Prince of Wales. But I consider Parnell the greatest man since Hugh O'Neil. The dream that Ireland may be free is not so extravagant, and I hope to see it soon realized. [Great applause.]

Mr. Murphy's singing was a pleasant feature, and his excellent, well rounded voice was heard to great advantage in the following selections: "The Valley Lay Smiling Before Me," and "Oh, Where's the Slave so Lowly," by Moore, "O'Donnell Aboo," "The Low Baked Car," "Lament of Owen Rae," "Clare's Dragoon's," and "Boys of Wexford."

Memorial to Hon. George M. Brooks.

The memorial of the Middlesex county bar in honor of Hon. George M. Brooks, judge of probate, was presented to the Supreme Judicial court at Cambridge this afternoon.

Janitor P. A. Brousseau and wife are visiting their cousin, Simon Brousseau, in Salem.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR FACTORY INSPECTORSHIPS ENDORSED.

Lively Discussion on Scab Clothing Houses — Boycott on Local Dealers Threatened — The Matter Not Yet Settled.

The Central Labor union had a long and interesting meeting yesterday afternoon. The chief subject of discussion was a circular from the United Garment Workers of Boston, complaining that certain houses in Lowell patronize scab shops and sweat concerns, viz: clothing houses that send their goods out to tenement houses to be made. The scab shops, however, were those to which objection was taken.

It was shown that none of the firms in Lowell had the union label on their clothing, but a committee appointed to see the local dealers, consisting of Mr. Ring and Brother Kendall, reported that they had been kindly received by a number of dealers.

Every dealer they had met agreed to comply with the request of the circular in refusing to patronize scab labor. One said he was informed by a wholesale house that he could put the union label on every garment in his store and he happened to be among the number accused of buying from scab firms.

This led to the statement that the union label was for sale or else that a counterfeit was obtainable. Various motions were made in regard to boycotting certain houses but the wind up of the discussion was that a committee was appointed to draft a set of resolutions in circular form to be addressed to the local dealers setting forth the disposition of the labor organizations to patronize only such stores as use the union label. President Meehan, Treasurer Buckley and Mr. Rafferty were appointed to do this work.

A lively discussion was caused by the statement reported to the effect that the Building Laborers' union had made contract with a certain dealer for a number of hats required for a celebration.

The price was made but the union found hats a few cents cheaper with another dealer and purchased the latter although they were prison made goods while the higher priced hats were union made.

Treasurer Buckley repelled this statement stating that the building laborers had purchased hats as agreed from the man who made the statement. The only inference was that the dealer who made the charge was mistaken or that some other organization had been guilty of the offence instead of the building laborers.

Methods were taken to advertise the carpenters meeting to be held in Jackson hall next Friday evening.

A communication was received from the street car workers stating that they were willing to send delegates to the C. L. U. The secretary was instructed to issue credentials to them.

The matter of appointing a state factory inspector came up for discussion.

Michael Logan of the legislative committee reported that certain unions had decided not to recommend a woman for appointment.

He said there was one woman in office now and he did not know whether they could name any one that would do any better. He did not care whether this woman was dropped or not, but the Cotton Spinners union had decided to favor the appointment of a man. They found that C. A. Dam had been working for the place and he recommended the endorsement of Mr. Dam.

Mr. Logan said he had written to the governor in favor of Mr. Dam and received a reply stating that the matter would receive due attention.

This brought out a vigorous protest from the chairman and several others who said that the union must act fairly in the matter. The governor had asked for the name of a woman favored by the C. L. U. Now it was proposed to send him the name of a man and a corporation man at that. Various speakers stigmatized this as unwise. Mr. Ring was particularly emphatic. He said it would be an insult to organized labor to go outside and take up a corporation tool for endorsement as a candidate for inspector of factories. There were plenty of good men for the position naming Thomas F. Connolly, Michael Logan, Mr. Fletcher and others.

Mr. Kendall favored recommending the name of one woman and one man so that the governor could take his choice. This was adopted.

Mr. Rafferty said there is no reason for nominating Mr. Dam except that he was the only man likely to get the place. It is likely that any woman we may nominate will be placed in opposition to the present incumbent, the best factory inspector we have ever had. I never saw a factory inspector until this lady was appointed. I have seen her repeatedly on her rounds through the mills. She has certainly shown more interest in her work than did any previously appointed. This lady is in sympathy with us, and if we place a candidate against her it will be simply to displace one by another perhaps no better. The names mentioned for endorsement were Mrs. Sarah Brady, Miss Annie T. Ring, Miss Mary Murphy. Several gentlemen were also named. The matter went to a vote by ballot and the result was that Thomas F. Connoly and Mrs. Sarah Brady were nominated. Mr Connolly declined positively and Mr. Rafferty was nominated instead.

PERSONAL.

Miss Grace Hilton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Hilton will be married to Mr. Arthur Dana Gibson of Boston at the home of the bride's parents, Walker street, Wednesday evening. The event is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest by their many friends, as they are both very prominent in society.

Miss Nellie Bean, operator at the Western Union office, was summoned home yesterday by the sudden death of her father, at Plymouth, N. H.

George S. Griggs, who went abroad with Martin, the crack cyclist, arrived home yesterday. He looks hale and hearty.

Among the clergymen who attended the dedication of St. Cecelia's church, Back Bay, Boston, yesterday, were Rev. Michael Ronan and Rev. Richard Burke of this city.

Help the Courteous Ushers.

The Dazzler company No. 2, composed of Lowell people, among whom are Ida Rogers, Marion McAlvin, Bert and Mrs. Bedell and Bobby Ralston will play at the Opera house, Wednesday afternoon at the ushers' benefit. This Dazzler company is the best yet brought out, and combined with this fact should be the desire of the Opera house patrons to show their appreciation of the courtesy and kindness of the ushers the past season by securing seats for the matinee. The ushers have their benefit in the matinee, and Manager Cosgrove the evening.

Self-measured.

Have you seen the self-measuring air tight coffee canister, the best invention of the age to keep coffee aromatic. For sale at Kinsella's tea store, corner Central and Prescott streets.

FAST STEPPERS

Lowell Stables to be Well Shown on the Turf.

HOOD, OF SARSAPARILLA FAME, HEADS THE LIST.

Some of the Best Strains found in Horses Owned Here.

In a review of the turf prospects for the season in New England, a Boston paper's correspondent gave a clever account of the fast horses owned in Lowell, and the recent additions to the stables.

It is a matter of some surprise that so many good blooded horses are owned here.

C. I. Hood has the largest and most remarkable stable in charge of Byron Walker. Among the horses are these:

Daisy Rowell 2.26 1-4, own sister to Nelson. She is the dam of Hazel 2.28, and is in foal to Wilkes; 4-year-old colt, Al Ray, by Pennant; 3-year-old colt, by Viking, dam to Star Ethan; Flora B., yearling to filly, by Passenger; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Robert McGregor; mare, an own sister to Star Lily, by Passenger.

Victor Viking, 3-year-old, by Viking, dam by Dear Sage; E. S. Hylan's colt, 1-year-old, by Passenger, dam by Phil Sheridan; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Glencoe Wilkes; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam Maggie W., 2.37; yearling colt, by Passenger, owned by George T. Sheldon of North Chelmsford; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam by Dean Sage; colt, 2 year old, by Electus, dam by Malcolm King; colt, 2 years old by Hood's McGregor, dam Flora, second dam by Star Ethan.

Lorena, 2 year old record 2.21, by Strathmore, dam Miss Belmont, by Belmont, the dam of Victor Mazone. She is in foal by Gen. Hancock. Pervour, 2 year old, by Onward, dam Siren, the dam of Gazette, second dam by Mambrino chief, Prologue, 2-year-old, full sister of Acolyte, 2.21, by Onward, dam by Lady Alice, by Almont 33, second dam by Mambrino Chief; brood mare Faustina, by Crown Point, dam Dell Foster, by A. W. Richmond, dam of Faustina, 3 year-old record 2.14 1-4.

Kittie McGregor, by Hood's McGregor, dam, Dean Sage, born in July of last year; yearling colt, by Hood's McGregor, dam Sadie Tinkham.

Sheriff Cushing has a bay mare Bessie F. by Little Hamilton, with a record of 2.33 1-4, and has shown a 2.20 1-4 clip on the Tyngsboro track.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles owns and drives the b. g. Prince, 2.38, and the ch. g. Little Gent, one of the fastest road horses in this vicinity.

Hon. Charles D. Palmer owns the following horses: Hebe, b. m. by Redwood by Belmont, dam Hortense 2.25; Hertha, b. m. by Viking 2.19 1-4, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hermia, b. m. by Viking, dam of Hortense, Hermes, b. st. by Lumps 2.21, dam Hortense, Hildebrand, ch. st. by Viking dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hector, b. g. by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hortense, Honor, bay filly by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2; Harold, black colt by Hildebrand, dam Hebe.

H. K. Ferrin is the owner of the b. g., Joe Smith, 2.20 1-4, the b. g., Honest Ben, 2.23 1-2, the brood mare Flora S., 2.42, and Lady Sherburne, 2.31.

Col. C. H. Allen recently purchased a pair of chestnut Vermont Morgans.

Murphy & Bingham purchased a short time ago, the b. g., Monkey Roller, 2.15¼, to a high-wheel sulky. This record was made Oct. 8, 1889, at Terre Haute. Monkey Roller was 12th in the first heat of that race, and won the next three heats.

R. F. Britton has in his stables the following horses: Graceful by Glencoe Granite State, a full brother to Graceful, no record, Howdy, 2.34, by Don Carlos, dam Thoroughbred, Bourbon Belle by Bourbon Prince, dam Thoroughbred, Lady Mark by Victor von Bismark, Edgemark Belle and Graceful are now being bred at Pittsfield to Lancelot and Mazatlan. Lancelot at 5 had three in the list, and is the sire of Leone, whose record as a yearling was 2.28.

Tom McLaughlin owns Pansy Blossom, which has been under the care of Dr. Charles Wood, a Lowell veterinary, all winter, and is now in excellent trim for the season. Pansy Blossom was sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by Moore's McGregor. Her record as a four year old was 2.23.

Dr. Fitzgerald of Tyngsboro is to have a meeting in June on his half-mile track in that town, which was completed last fall. Dr. Fitzgerald is the owner of the following horses, which are now in his stable: Senator Blackburn, 7 years old, by Alcyon, dam Minnie Patchen. This stallion covered a mile in 2.42 as a 2-year old; Ida C., 2.40, 6 years old, own sister to Elmbrook, in foal to Senator Blackburn; Harriet, by Indirect.

For the stallion Wilkes Boy Dr. Fitzgerald says he paid $9000. He asserts that the animal can beat 2.20. Wilkes Boy was sired by Brignoli Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. The dam is Foza, by Trojan.

Gloddy's strawberry roan stallion Union Wilkes is now owned by P. L. McBride, His record is 2.20 1-2.

George Lorman of Pawtucketville has purchased the Alack Hall stallion Robert Morrill, imported from Canada last November.

Dr. J. H. Sparks is the owner of the fast pacer Tony S., sired by Hector Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. Driven by Dr. Sparks, this pacer has covered a mile to a road wagon in 2.25.

F. Winn Taylor has a brood mare bred to Electricity, which can give many another fast goer dust. Mr. Taylor also drives a lively span.

John F. Cosgrove of the Opera house takes enjoyment riding behind a full sister of Pansy Blossom.

John Ryan is the owner of a magnificent 3-year-old, "Stanbuletta," sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by a son of Smuggler. She stands 15.3, and is a magnificently shaped filly.

Perley P. Gilman of Pawtucketville bought last week the roan mare Nancy by Wood's Hambletonian

William Farrell has a filly by Glencoe Wilkes

J. M. Kingsbury of Bridge street has a promising colt which his son Fred drives.

A good family horse for sale at a bargain. Inquire of "D" SUN office.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Rev. Dr. Greene conducted services yesterday over the remains of Miles W. Stott at his parents' home, 162 Smith street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

The funeral of Howard W. Parker took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, on the Lawrence Road, Dracut, services being conducted by Rev. F. M. Lamb. Interment was in the family lot in the Varnum cemetery.

WANTED—Salesmen; salary from start; permanent place. Brown Bros., Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

INDUSTRIAL ARMY

DID NOT START FROM BOSTON COMMON YESTERDAY.

Mass Meeting of 35,000 People on the Common—The Whole Affair is a Large Sized Fizzle.

BOSTON, April 23.—A vast crowd assembled on Boston Common yesterday afternoon to witness the departure of the unemployed for Washington, where they hope to join Coxey's army. When Morrison I. Swift stepped on to the improvised platform there were fully 25,000 present, and soon after the meeting got into working order fully 35,000 were gathered around the bandstand.

The crowd was a good-natured, hustling, bustling one, and did not seem to be at all impressed with the occasion or to be in sympathy with the movement that the meeting was called for, but had come simply to have and make fun, which they did to their hearts' content, but at no time was there anything that could be called disorderly. Swift opened the meeting, but not having a very powerful voice he could not be heard at a great distant, and after standing some time the crowd began to surge forward, and those in front of the speaker were forced on to the small platform, which succumbed to the strain and was broken to fragments. The speaker was thrown against the sapling fence that surrounds the bandstand, and under the pressure from the crowd the fence was bent, but did not break.

Swift took his position on the bandstand, and delivered his characteristic speech denouncing the wealthy, the monopolists and everybody in general that did not sympathize with the socialist platform.

The speeches were continually interrupted by the tactics of the crowd, who, when anything did not meet their approval, would hiss and whistle and commence to push those in front of them until those close to the fence would cry out, and which generally brought forth remonstrance from the speakers.

Swift submitted a letter to President Cleveland, purporting to be a review of the grievances of the "unemployed thousands in New England," and it was adopted by a mighty "Yes."

At this point there was a conference between the leaders while one of them was speaking, and as a result those who had enrolled themselves in the delegation were told to slip away quietly and meet at Roxbury crossing, where Major General Fitzgerald would meet them and would then march to Dedham.

The immense crowd did not know of what had been decided upon, and made a break for Tremont street, where they expected the men to pass. They waited in vain, however, as an hour after the order was given, 45 men, headed by their leader, Fitzgerald, and carrying the yellow flag, were marching toward Jamaica Plain. Traffic on Tremont street was blockaded for several hours after the meeting adjourned by the people waiting to see the "army" start off.

At Dedham.

DEDHAM, Mass., April 23.—The Boston delegation of the unemployed arrived here at 9:30 last evening. Friends provided a repast for the 45 travellers and their leader.

Sweetland's Crowd.

HARTFORD, April 23.—The Connecticut contribution to Coxey's army is booked to start from Bristol tomorrow. Leader Sweetland will devise means to continue the journey to Washington.

WHITE VS. BLACK.

Another Serious Race War Breaks Out In an Alabama District.

TALLULAH, La., April 23.—A race war is on in this section of Madison parish, and so far one white man and one negro have been killed, one white man badly beaten and 13 negroes are now in captivity, charged with murder.

Friday, Charles J. MacFarland, the manager of the Dancy place, had a difficulty with a negro tenant named Josh Hopkins, in which MacFarland was beaten. Friday evening a posse started in pursuit of this negro, who fled. MacFarland and a man named Boyce started at the head, and as they were crossing Brush bayou they were fired upon from ambush. Boyce was killed. MacFarland escaped to the woods, where he remained until yesterday.

As soon as the fact was made known Sheriff McClellan, with a posse, went to the scene. The negroes were located in the woods, late Saturday night, about a quarter of a mile from the place of killing. The sheriff captured Horace Williams. Just as he got to the edge of the woods, Williams made an effort to escape. The deputies fired on him and killed him. Three more negroes were captured and lodged in jail.

Triple Lynching In Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 23.—At Tuscombia Tom Black, John Willis and Tony Johnson, negro incendiaries, were lynched. They were led to the Tennessee river bridge, ropes were placed about each of their necks, and, with the end tied to the bridge timbers, they were compelled to jump off. The fall broke their necks and the bodies, after being filled with bullets, were left dangling where they hung.

Italians Want More Pay.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Three thousand Italian street cleaners went out on a strike at midnight for an increase of wages. The men have been working 10 hours a day for 10 cents an hour, and they demand the same hours for work and 15 cents an hour pay.

Burglars In a Postoffice.

MERRIMAC, Mass., April 23.—The postoffice was entered by prying open the front door. The intruders blew open the safe and obtained $7. The tools used in forcing an entrance were stolen from the machine shop of N. L. Howe.

A Providence Mystery.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—It is now believed that Patrick McCreary, whose body was found in the Providence river Saturday, and who was supposed to have fallen overboard accidentally, was murdered. Medical Examiner Palmer found the body terribly mutilated. The skull was crushed, probably by a blow from a heavy club. The right hand is also badly mangled. McCreary was a sailor.

Dead In His Dooryard.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 23.—Russell Wales of Bristol was found dead in his dooryard. Heart disease was the cause.

We Are Always Ready.

Our business is booming and we say let it boom. We can hire all the men we want and we never have any but skilled workmen. Our work is the best, and our price for doing it is always the lowest. John J. Barry, 498 Market street.

THE SENATE

Nine Senators Object to Discussing Details.

FAST SOUTHERN MAIL SUBSIDY IS OPPOSED.

Contests at Hand on Various Matters.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The prospect is that the tariff debate in the senate will continue this week much on the same lines as have been observed since the agreement for the regulation for hours of debate was entered into, notwithstanding the arrangement that the reading of the bill by paragraphs shall be begun on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

The Republican senators are counting upon the continuance of this program for at least another week, and expect to go on with their general speeches just as they have been doing for the past three weeks.

"General debate," said Senator Aldrich, in discussing the outlook, "will conclude Tuesday at 5 o'clock, and will be resumed Wednesday at 1 o'clock."

Senator Aldrich is among those who have not yet spoken upon the general features of the bill, and he will not now have time to get in before the reading of the bill is begun. Besides replying to Senator Mills, he will devote himself especially to the revenue features of the pending bill.

The speeches announced for the week are those of Washburn today, Mills and Palmer on Tuesday, Higgins on Wednesday and Cullom on Thursday or Friday.

Other speeches, among them one by Senator Lindsey of Kentucky, may be made on any of these days, and if no one else should be prepared to proceed at any time, Senator Quay will continue the speech of which he has already delivered several installments. It is understood that he has not exhausted more than half of the material he has collected upon the various features of the bill, and that when his speech is finally concluded and printed it will make a large book on the tariff.

Senator Dolph may also at any time conclude his unfinished speech. Senator Mills is expected to reply in a general way for the members of the finance committee to the attacks which have been made upon the bill, and his speech will be about three hours in length. Senator Higgins will discuss the Hawaiian question, basing his speech upon the provision contained in the first report of the senate bill for the nullification of the reciprocity treaty with the islands and will advocate their annexation to the United States.

Hot Contest Probable.

Nine Republican senators will make manifest their disposition to contest every inch of ground at the very beginning of the discussion of the paragraphs, as such, day after tomorrow, by attempting to have the provision of the first paragraph, providing that the new tariff shall go into effect on June 30, changed. They will contend that the custom has always been to give at least six months' notice in making a change of the tariff laws. They also say that there are other provisions in this paragraph which will require careful consideration, and a number of them agree in saying that it is probable that the chemical schedule, the first in the bill, will not be reached before next week.

Senator Harris, upon being asked, said that no agreement had been reached for the continuance of the present agreement as to hours for debate, and he was not prepared to say what would be done in that respect when that stage of the consideration of the bill should be reached.

"It will depend upon circumstances," he said, "whether we shall go on as at present. We possibly may during this week, but I should say not longer. We have already had the bill under consideration for three weeks, and its opponents have consumed the greater part of the time. They certainly should have had opportunity to exhaust their long speeches, and if a disposition should be shown to continue to make them, I shall ask for an extension of the daily time for debate.

"We shall have to come to that soon if it becomes apparent that those who are unfriendly to the bill mean to adopt undilatory tactics. I think we shall begin by meeting earlier, and if that change does not suffice to effect sufficient progress, we shall gradually extend the hours into the night, and will then begin a contest which must either exhaust the senators or exhaust the debate, and result in final action upon the bill."

House Forecast.

Appropriation bills will continue to occupy the attention of the house during the week, after today, which, under the rules, will be devoted to the consideration of business reported from the District of Columbia committee.

On Tuesday the diplomatic and consular bill, which consumed the major portion of last week, will probably be finished, and on Wednesday the postoffice appropriation bill, the consideration of which was interrupted by the departure of Chairman Henderson of the postoffice committee as one of the committee to attend the funeral of the late Senator Vance, will be resumed.

The only item in this bill undisposed of is that providing a special subsidy for the fast southern mail. As a strong fight is being made to cut off this appropriation it may require two days to get it out of the way. The general impression seems to be that the adversaries of this appropriation will not be able to defeat it, as it has earnest champions not only in the south, but in the north and west.

Business is so far advanced in the house that no attempt will probably be made to deprive the committee on claims of Friday, the day set apart under the rules, for the consideration of bills on the private calendar. After the postoffice bill is completed, the army bill will be taken up, and should it be completed, the river and harbor bill will follow. There is little chance, however, that the latter bill will be reached this week.

Dropped Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 23.—Gideon Lee, a wealthy real estate owner of New York, and well known in business circles, dropped dead last evening of heart failure.

A Man Without a Tongue.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—James Anderson of Lonsdale had his tongue cut out at the Rhode Island hospital. It was being eaten by cancer, caused by decayed teeth.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

It is well to give the Spring Overcoats question early consideration.

Business with us is good and there is not much desirable merchandise to be had. Mills are no longer making spring goods, and when the good things are gone—the first to sell—there is no chance to get more.

Three weeks from now, with our present trade, a half dozen excellent styles will be closed.

We won't hurry you—simply sound a note of warning for those who are interested in Rogers, Peet & Co.'s rightly tailored overcoats, or our own.

Proper lengths, properly made, $8, $10, $12, up to $25.

PUTNAM & SON,
ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS,
Cor. Central & Warren Sts.

HE FACED DEATH.

LOADED SHOT GUN SHOVED IN DAVE DONALDSON'S FACE.

It Might Have Gone Off and Committed Murder—Inspectors Were Serving a Search Warrant and John Caraan Was Waiting for Officer Ryder.

Inspector Dave Donaldson is still alive. He had the narrowest escape from death yesterday afternoon.

John Caraan, living at No. 86 Andrews street, showed a loaded double barrelled shot gun into his face while searching the house for contraband liquors.

Donaldson and Goodwin went to the house with a search warrant as they thought Caraan was doing an illegal liquor business. Search did not prove this to be the case for Caraan was apparently in liquor and very cranky. On going into the house Goodwin started upstairs while Donaldson pushed open a door leading off the hall. The instant the door opened a shot gun was shoved into Donaldson's face. Dave grabbed it and threw it up, thereby saving his life. The inspectors then grabbed the man and took him to the station.

It is said that Caraan had had some trouble with his wife, who appeared with a couple of black eyes of recent infliction. It was said that Caraan was waiting for Officer Ches Rider with a gun, for when he shoved the gun into Donaldson's face Caraan said something about coming after him to arrest him.

Caraan is spoken of as an easy going fellow when all right but very cranky when in liquor.

The shot gun was loaded with heavy shells and in the barrel were big slugs. It is fortunate that Caraan did not get the opportunity to use it.

A PLEASING PROGRAM

Given as the Last of the Entertainment Series at St. Patrick's School.

The last in the series of Sunday evening entertainments given by the Young Men's Catholic Literary society was held at St. Patrick's school hall last evening.

The stage was arranged to represent a drawing room and was decorated with the national colors, bunting and potted plants.

The hall was crowded with friends of the members. The program was a very entertaining one and each number elicited hearty applause. The exercises were under the direction of James Dunfey, the president of the society who extended a hearty welcome to those present. The program included the following numbers: Vocal selections by Misses Margaret McCaffrey, Josephine Morrissey, Messrs. D. S. O'Brien, Michael Gorman, John Murray and J. McMahon; recitations, Misses Hattie Fox, Bessie O'Neil, Lizzie Doran, Messrs. J. Mellen, John Cody and Dennis Donohoe; duet, Joseph and William Mahoney; trio for piano, violin and banjo, Misses Lottie and Kittie Walsh and Master John Quinn.

THE COAL STRIKE.

If Protracted May Affect the Lowell Mills.

In a review of the demand for coal by New England mills it is shown that Lowell mills among others will be affected if the gigantic coal strike is protracted. It takes considerable coal to keep the mills running and it is asserted that contracts for 10,000 tons future delivery had been been placed some time ago.

Here are figures of coal consumption in this vicinity: Railroads centering in Boston 1,000,000 tons annually; Lowell mills 100,000 tons, Lawrence mills take over 125,000, Worcester needs 165,000, Portland 212,000, New Haven 400,000, New Bedford 185,000, Fall River 275,000 and Providence 570,000.

The millionaire Boston coal syndicate owning Nova Scotia mines is expected to reap a harvest by the strike.

THE NEW BOULEVARD

Will be Commenced Upon in About a Fortnight

It is stated that the work of extending the new boulevard from the end of the present boulevard, to Tyngs Island will begin in about a fortnight. The work will probably be done by contract.

A Fractured Arm.

Mrs. Joseph Wilson of 22 Seventh avenue met with a severe accident on Friday evening, while our riding with her son. By a sudden stopping of the horse she was thrown forward and in falling, in some way, her left arm was broken between the elbow and the shoulder. She was otherwise considerably injured, although she did not fall from the carriage. As Mrs. Wilson was previously quite infirm the accident seems quite unfortunate.

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LOOM FIXERS STRIKE.

FOUR MEN WANT THEIR OLD PAY RESTORED AT FAULKNERS.

Before the Shut-down They Got $2 Per Day; Now They Get Only $1.44—There Are Other Grievances.

The four loomfixers at Faulkner's mills went on a strike this morning for higher wages or rather a restoration of the old wages. Previous to the last shut down the men were getting $2 per day but upon resuming work last February were cut to 18 cents per hour or $1.44 a day.

Up at Faulkner's there are 21 looms to a section, the largest in the country, it is claimed, and the looms are the fastest in the city, so the four strikers say.

In Collinsville there are 18 looms to the section; the Navy Yard, 16; and the Middlesex mills 18 to the section. Last Friday the men sent a petition to Fred Faulkner requesting a restoration of the old wages. They requested a conference but Mr. Faulkner would not have it and refused to grant the request for higher wages. Finally the men went to him Saturday but received no satisfaction and so declared to strike.

When all help is employed, there are six loomfixers but at present there are only four in the mill.

It is said that by the end of the week the weavers may come out.

Many of the weavers asked for and received an advance in wages last week.

Fred Faulkner when asked about the trouble laughed and said: "You mean the loomfixers. I guess all they want is free advertising."

LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Alexander of Tewksbury is ill with the grip.

Prof. Wells' class assembly will occur tonight instead of tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle of Reade street have gone on a visit to New York.

Crescent wheels both gentlemen and ladies $75. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

Miss Ethel Bennett is taking a short respite from her studies at St. Mary's school, Concord.

Columbia bicycles always have and do stand at the head. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

The Madrigal society closes its first season's work tomorrow evening with a concert recital in Runels' hall.

It is stated that Gov. Greenhalge will give the working people a reception at Huntington hall in the near future.

Mr. George H. Russell, the laundry proprietor, is smiling hugely over the arrival of a boy, which happy event occurred on Wednesday last.

While the Lowell Machine shop resumes full time, no new help is needed, or the number of employes increased from the present number.

In addition to the competitive drilling at the field day of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment at Reading, May 29, there will be also a program of sports to take place after the drill, governed by the A. A. rules. Several Lowell cadets will enter the events.

Alex Morse living on Pond street, while repairing a shaft in Stott's mills in Belvidere, fell or slipped from a staging, yesterday morning, and in falling hit his chin on a pulley. A bad lacerated wound was dressed by Dr. Mulcahey.

Mr. Abbott Lawrence accompanied by Mr. George Dearborn went up the Concord river to Concord Wednesday; when within five miles of the town they were obliged to camp for the night as at that point the river spread over several acres of meadow and it was too dark for them to find the outlet.

Great cut price week in ladies' fine Capes and Jackets at the Criterion to introduce the products of the most noted manufacturer in America. Events this week; Tuesday, $1.00 for 50c. window display. Thursday Medium window display. Saturday Grand Redfern, novelty window, every lady should see them.

DEATHS.

James Harrington, aged 12 years, son of Thomas and Catherine Harrington, died yesterday morning at their home on Front street.

Thomas J. Duffy, aged 37 years, died last evening at his home on Worthen street. Deceased was a letter carrier for a number of years, and was exceedingly popular with the employes of the post office. He was a member of the old 11 N.C.R.'s, and a charter member of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., and was also connected with the Royal Arcanum. Deceased had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and friends are requested not to send flowers.

Mrs. Susan Brown, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Stanley, 94 Marginal street. She was the widow of the late Hiram Brown, formerly of Billerica. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Colby, widow of the late Amos Colby, died Friday at the home of her son, Dr. E. A. Colby of Gardner, Mass. She was the mother of Mrs. B. F. Crosby of this city.

McMannon, florist, Prescott & Merrick sts.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER.

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

FINNERTY

Chicago Irishman Speaks on Ireland's Glories.

FINE DISPLAY OF ELOQUENCE AND PATRIOTISM.

Big and Enthusiastic Meeting at Associate Hall.

Hon. John F. Finnerty of Chicago, paid another visit to our city yesterday, upon the invitation of the local Hibernian lodges, and in the evening, under their auspices, he lectured in Associate hall before an audience outnumbering that which greeted him on his previous visit.

"The song and story of Ireland," was his subject, and in treating it he was ably assisted by the eminent vocalist, Mr. M. J. Murphy, of Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. James O'Sullivan called the meeting to order, and after welcoming those present introduced Mr. John A. O'Hearn as chairman of the evening. Mr. O'Hearn's remarks were very complimentary to Mr. Finnerty, and he related several incidents in connection with the life of the ex-congressman, whose name is known to all Irishmen.

The lecturer was greeted with prolonged applause. His subject was divided into six parts, each relating to some particular period in Irish history. He reviewed the early history of Ireland dwelling upon Ireland's ancient glory.

He attributed the narration of much of Ireland's history to her enemies. The coming of St. Patrick, and the conversion of the country to christianity: the battles with the Danes were related in glowing language. In speaking of the battle of Clontarf, the lecturer uttered one sentence full of significance. He said: "There are many today who boast of their Anglo-Saxon blood, but at that day they did not present a very heroic attitude."

Art. McMurrough, from whom the speaker said, the Murphy's and Cavanaugh's are descended, received considerable attention, for his effort to wipe out the whole English plantation, after the English had gained a foothold in that section of Leinster, known as "the pale." McMurrough succeeded in defeating Richard III, who landed in Waterford in 1395, with a large force.

His description of the "Wars of the Roses" was excellent. By quoting English history he showed that the "Wars of the Roses" surpassed the famous story of the Kilkenny cats. Irishmen contend for a principle; but when the Plantaganet homes of York and Lancaster robbed, murdered, poisoned and assassinated their own kin, they fought to show that the great-grandfather of one was born a short while before the other.

The next portion of the lecture was devoted to the time of Queen Elizabeth and Hugh O'Neil, and during his description, the audience could scarcely restrain their feelings as the events were pictured to them.

Attention was given to the landing of Strongbow and the time of Henry II also to Henry VIII who when he saw that he was unable to secure a divorce left the Catholic religion and became a pope in England. He showed the tyrannical disposition of Queen Elizabeth and the way she was tricked by Hugh O'Neil with whose fine bearing and figure she was so overcome that he met treachery with treachery and stored up ammunition for big battles which came to the glory of Ireland.

Cromwell's ability as a statesman and warrior was recognized but the speaker said: "It is not as a soldier that Cromwell is hated in Ireland; it is for his cruelty and treachery. For his massacre of men, women and children." He denounced Cromwell as a coward, tyrant and blood thirsty brute.

Reference to Sarsfield and William III permitted the speaker to correct many mistaken ideas of the circumstances leading up to the battle of the Boyne. The spirit of Irish-American Catholics today may be summed up as follows: "We take our religion from Rome but not our politics."

The description of the battle of Fontenoy proved the oratorical treat of the evening. It was one grand climax, and when he pictured the 16,000 Irish exiles in the French army turning the tide of battle and rushing down on the English troops with cries of "Remember Limerick," and "Down with the Sassanach," the audience could no longer control itself and burst out into one grand roar of applause.

The seige of Limerick was next described, "the treaty broken ere the ink wherewith 'twas writ was dry," the exile of the Irish troops into France and their glorious career on European battlefields. The speaker next referred to the rebellions of 1798 and subsequent years, and showed how thousands of Irishmen, both Protestants and Catholics, had to seek refuge in America, And the Irish exiles, he said, afterwards fought gloriously against the old foe when the American colonies rebelled. After enumerating many instances in which Irishmen had rendered signal services to the American cause on land or sea, he said; And yet there are insignificant but vicious people today who say that the men who would be honored and trusted by Washington and Lincoln are disloyal to this country. A few renegades who left here when we became independent and went down to New Brunswick to live under George of England, now come back to taunt us with disloyalty. (Prolonged applause.)

Then came the young Ireland party under Grattan, Emmet, O'Connell, Parnell and Gladstone. In conclusion the speaker said:

As long as the English flags floats above Ireland she will never rise to anything. Either the last Irishman must perish or the English empire must be ripped into pieces. Coming down to late years we had a man whom we treated ungratefully, Parnell. He fell through human frailty, but the English did not renounce Henry VIII, or the Georges, or the Edwards, and they adore the Prince of Wales. But I consider Parnell the greatest man since Hugh O'Neil. The dream that Ireland may be free is not so extravagant, and I hope to see it soon realized. [Great applause.]

Mr. Murphy's singing was a pleasant feature, and his excellent, well rounded voice was heard to great advantage in the following selections: "The Valley Lay Smiling Before Me," and "Oh, Where's the Slave so Lowly," by Moore, "O'Donnell Aboo," "The Low Baked Car," "Lament of Owen Roe," "Clare's Dragoon's," and "Boys of Wexford."

Memorial to Hon. George M. Brooks.

The memorial of the Middlesex county bar in honor of Hon. George M. Brooks, judge of probate, was presented to the Supreme Judicial court at Cambridge this afternoon.

Janitor P. A. Brousseau and wife are visiting their cousin, Simon Brousseau, in Salem.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR FACTORY INSPECTORSHIPS ENDORSED.

Lively Discussion on Scab Clothing Houses — Boycott on Local Dealers Threatened — The Matter Not Yet Settled.

The Central Labor union had a long and interesting meeting yesterday afternoon. The chief subject of discussion was a circular from the United Garment Workers of Boston, complaining that certain houses in Lowell patronize scab shops and sweat concerns, viz: clothing houses that send their goods out to tenement houses to be made. The scab shops, however, were those to which objection was taken.

It was shown that none of the firms in Lowell had the union label on their clothing, but a committee appointed to see the local dealers, consisting of Mr. Ring and Brother Kendall, reported that they had been kindly received by a number of dealers.

Every dealer they had met agreed to comply with the request of the circular in refusing to patronize scab labor. One said he was informed by a wholesale house that he could put the union label on every garment in his store and he happened to be among the number accused of buying from scab firms.

This led to the statement that the union label was for sale or else that a counterfeit was obtainable. Various motions were made in regard to boycotting certain houses but the wind up of the discussion was that a committee was appointed to draft a set of resolutions in circular form to be addressed to the local dealers setting forth the disposition of the labor organizations to patronize only such stores as use the union label. President Meehan, Treasurer Buckley and Mr. Rafferty were appointed to do this work.

A lively discussion was caused by the statement reported to the effect that the Building Laborers' union had made contract with a certain dealer for a number of hats required for a celebration.

The price was made but the union found hats a few cents cheaper with another dealer and purchased the latter although they were prison made goods while the higher priced hats were union made.

Treasurer Buckley repelled this statement stating that the building laborers had purchased hats as agreed from the man who made the statement. The only inference was that the dealer who made the charge was mistaken or that some other organization had been guilty of the offence instead of the building laborers.

Methods were taken to advertise the carpenters meeting to be held in Jackson hall next Friday evening.

A communication was received from the street car workers stating that they were willing to send delegates to the C. L. U. The secretary was instructed to issue credentials to them.

The matter of appointing a state factory inspector came up for discussion.

Michael Logan of the legislative committee reported that certain unions had decided not to recommend a woman for appointment.

He said there was one woman in office now and he did not know whether they could name any one that would do any better. He did not care whether this woman was dropped or not, but the Cotton Spinners union had decided to favor the appointment of a man. They found that C. A. Dam had been working for the place and he recommended the endorsement of Mr. Dam.

Mr. Logan said he had written to the governor in favor of Mr. Dam and received a reply stating that the matter would receive due attention.

This brought out a vigorous protest from the chairman and several others who said that the union must act fairly in the matter. The governor had asked for the name of a woman favored by the C. L. U. Now it was proposed to send him the name of a man and a corporation man at that. Various speakers stigmatized this as unwise. Mr. Ring was particularly emphatic. He said it would be an insult to organized labor to go outside and take up a corporation tool for endorsement as a candidate for inspector of factories. There were plenty of good men for the position naming Thomas F. Connolly, Michael Logan, Mr. Fletcher and others.

Mr. Kendall favored recommending the name of one woman and one man so that the governor could take his choice. This was adopted.

Mr. Rafferty said there is no reason for nominating Mr. Dam except that he was the only man likely to get the place. It is likely that any woman we may nominate will be placed in opposition to the present incumbent, the best factory inspector we have ever had. I never saw a factory inspector until this lady was appointed. I have seen her repeatedly on her rounds through the mills. She has certainly shown more interest in her work than did any previously appointed. This lady is in sympathy with us, and if we place a candidate against her it will be simply to displace one by another perhaps no better. The names mentioned for endorsement were Mrs. Sarah Brady, Miss Annie T. Ring, Miss Mary Murphy. Several gentlemen were also named. The matter went to a vote by ballot and the result was that Thomas F. Connoly and Mrs. Sarah Brady were nominated. Mr. Connolly declined positively and Mr. Rafferty was nominated instead.

PERSONAL.

Miss Grace Hilton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Hilton will be married to Mr. Arthur Dana Gibson of Boston at the home of the bride's parents, Walker street, Wednesday evening. The event is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest by their many friends, as they are both very prominent in society.

Miss Nellie Bean, operator at the Western Union office, was summoned home yesterday by the sudden death of her father, at Plymouth, N. H.

George S. Griggs, who went abroad with Martin, the crack cyclist, arrived home yesterday. He looks hale and hearty.

Among the clergymen who attended the dedication of St. Cecelia's church, Back Bay, Boston, yesterday, were Rev. Michael Ronan and Rev. Richard Burke of this city.

Help the Courteous Ushers.

The Dazzler company No. 2, composed of Lowell people, among whom are Ida Rogers, Marion McAlvin, Bert and Mrs. Betell and Bobby Ralston will play at the Opera house, Wednesday afternoon at the ushers' benefit. This Dazzler company is the best yet brought out, and combined with this fact should be the desire of the Opera house patrons to show their appreciation of the courtesy and kindness of the ushers the past season by securing seats for the matinee. The ushers have their benefit in the matinee, and Manager Cosgrove the evening.

Self-measured.

Have you seen the self-measuring air tight coffee canister, the best invention of the age to keep coffee aromatic. For sale at Kinsella's tea store, corner Central and Prescott streets.

FAST STEPPERS

Lowell Stables to be Well Shown on the Turf.

HOOD, OF SARSAPARILLA FAME, HEADS THE LIST.

Some of the Best Strains found in Horses Owned Here.

In a review of the turf prospects for the season in New England, a Boston paper's correspondent gave a clever account of the fast horses owned in Lowell, and the recent additions to the stables.

It is a matter of some surprise that so many good blooded horses are owned here.

C. I. Hood has the largest and most remarkable stable in charge of Byron Walker. Among the horses are these:

Daisy Rowell 2.20 1-4, own sister to Nelson. She is the dam of Hazel 2.23, and is in foal to Wilkes; 4-year-old colt, Al Ray, by Pennant; 3-year-old colt, by Viking, dam to Star Ethan; Flora B., yearling to filly, by Passenger; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Robert McGregor; mare, an own sister to Star Lily, by Passenger.

Victor Viking, 3-year-old, by Viking, dam by Dean Sage; E. S. Hylan's colt, 1-year-old, by Passenger, dam by Phil Sheridan; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Glencoe Wilkes; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam Maggie W., 2.37; yearling colt, by Passenger, owned by George T. Sheldon of North Chelmsford; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam by Dean Sage; colt, 2 year old, by Electus, dam by Malcolm King; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam Flora, second dam by Star Ethan.

Lorena, 2 year old record 2.21, by Strathmore, dam Miss Belmont, by Belmont, the dam of Victor Mazone. She is in foal by Gen. Hancock. Pervour, 2 year old, by Onward, dam Siren, the dam of Gazette, second dam by Mambrino chief, Prologue, 2-year-old, full sister of Acolyte, 2.21, by Onward, dam by Lady Alice, by Almont 33, second dam by Mambrino Chief; brood mare Faustina, by Crown Point, dam Dell Foster, by A. W. Richmond, dam of Faustina, 3 year-old record 2.14 1-4.

Kittie McGregor, by Hood's McGregor, dam, Dean Sage, born in July of last year; yearling colt, by Hood's McGregor, dam Sadie Tinkham.

Sheriff Cushing has a bay mare Bessie F. by Little Hamilton, with a record of 2.33 1-4, and has shown a 2.20 1-4 clip on the Tyngsboro track.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles owns and drives the b. g. Prince, 2.38, and the ch. g. Little Gent, one of the fastest road horses in this vicinity.

Hon. Charles D. Palmer owns the following horses: Hebe, b. m. by Redwood by Belmont, dam Hortense 2.25; Hertha, b. m. by Viking 2.19 1-4, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hermia, b. m. by Viking, dam of Hortense, Hermes, b. st. by Lumps 2.21, dam Hortense, Hildebrand, ch. st. by Viking dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hector, b. g. by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hortense, Honor, bay filly by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2; Harold, black colt by Hildebrand, dam Hebe.

H. K. Ferrin is the owner of the b. g., Joe Smith, 2.20 1-4, the b. g., Honest Ben, 2.23 1-2, the brood mare Flora S., 2.42, and Lady Sherburne, 2.31.

Col. C. H. Allen recently purchased a pair of chestnut Vermont Morgans.

Murphy & Bingham purchased a short time ago, the b. g., Monkey Roller, 2.15¼, to a high-wheel sulky. This record was made Oct. 8, 1889, at Terre Haute. Monkey Roller was 12th in the first heat of that race, and won the next three heats.

R. P. Britton has in his stables the following horses: Graceful by Glencoe Granite State, a full brother to Graceful, no record, Howdy, 2.34, by Don Carlos, dam Thoroughbred, Bourbon Belle by Bourbon Prince, dam Thoroughbred, Lady Mark by Victor von Bismark. Edgemark Belle and Graceful are now being bred at Pittsfield to Lancelot and Mazatlan. Lancelot at 5 had three in the list, and is the sire of Leone, whose record as a yearling was 2.28.

Tom McLaughlin owns Pansy Blossom, which has been under the care of Dr. Charles Wood, a Lowell veterinary, all winter; and is now in excellent trim for the season. Pansy Blossom was sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by Moore's McGregor. Her record as a four year old was 2.23.

Dr. Fitzgerald of Tyngsboro is to have a meeting in June on his half-mile track in that town, which was completed last fall. Dr. Fitzgerald is the owner of the following horses, which are now in his stable: Senator Blackburn, 7 years old, by Alcyon, dam Minnie Patchen. This stallion covered a mile in 2.42 as a 2-year old; Ida C., 2.40, 6 years old, own sister to Elmbrook, in foal to Senator Blackburn; Harriet, by Indirect.

For the stallion Wilkes Boy Dr. Fitzgerald says he paid $9000. He asserts that the animal can beat 2.20. Wilkes Boy was sired by Brignoli Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. The dam is Toga, by Trojan.

Gloddy's strawberry roan stallion Union Wilkes is now owned by P. L. McBride. His record is 2.20 1-2.

George Lorman of Pawtucketville has purchased the Alack Halk stallion Robert Morrill, imported from Canada last November.

Dr. J. H. Sparks is the owner of the fast pacer Tony S., sired by Hector Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. Driven by Dr. Sparks, this pacer has covered a mile to a road wagon in 2.25.

F. Winn Taylor has a brood mare bred to Electricity, which can give many another fast goer dust. Mr. Taylor also drives a lively span.

John F. Cosgrove of the Opera house takes enjoyment riding behind a full sister of Pansy Blossom.

John Ryan is the owner of a magnificent 3-year-old, "Stanbulette," sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by a son of Smuggler. She stands 15.3, and is a magnificently shaped filly.

Perley P. Gilman of Pawtucketville bought last week the roan mare Nancy by Wood's Hambletonian.

William Farrell has a filly by Glencoe Wilkes.

J. M. Kingsbury of Bridge street has a promising colt which his son Fred drives.

A good family horse for sale at a bargain. Inquire of "D" SUN office.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Rev. Dr. Greene conducted services yesterday over the remains of Miles W. Stott at his parents' home, 162 Smith street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

The funeral of Howard W. Parker took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, on the Lawrence Road, Dracut, services being conducted by Rev. F. M. Lamb. Interment was in the family lot in the Varnum cemetery.

WANTED—Salesman; salary from start; permanent place. Brown Bros. Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

INDUSTRIAL ARMY

DID NOT START FROM BOSTON COMMON YESTERDAY.

Mass Meeting of 35,000 People on the Common—The Whole Affair is a Large Sized Fizzle.

BOSTON, April 23.—A vast crowd assembled on Boston Common yesterday afternoon to witness the departure of the unemployed for Washington, where they hope to join Coxey's army. When Morrison I. Swift stepped on to the improvised platform there were fully 25,000 present, and soon after the meeting got into working order fully 35,000 were gathered around the bandstand.

The crowd was a good-natured, hustling, bustling one, and did not seem to be at all impressed with the occasion or to be in sympathy with the movement that the meeting was called for, but had come simply to have and make fun, which they did to their hearts' content, but at no time was there anything that could be called disorderly. Swift opened the meeting, but not having a very powerful voice he could not be heard at a great distant, and after standing some time the crowd began to surge forward, and those in front of the speaker were forced on to the small platform, which succumbed to the strain and was broken to fragments. The speaker was thrown against the sapling fence that surrounds the bandstand, and under the pressure from the crowd the fence was bent, but did not break.

Swift took his position on the bandstand, and delivered his characteristic speech denouncing the wealthy, the monopolists and everybody in general that did not sympathize with the socialist platform.

The speeches were continually interrupted by the tactics of the crowd, who, when anything did not meet their approval, would hiss and whistle and commence to push those in front of them until those close to the fence would cry out, and which generally brought forth remonstrance from the speakers.

Swift submitted a letter to President Cleveland, purporting to be a review of the grievances of the "unemployed thousands in New England," and it was adopted by a mighty "Yes."

At this point there was a conference between the leaders while one of them was speaking, and as a result those who had enrolled themselves in the delegation were told to slip away quietly and meet at Roxbury crossing, where Major General Fitzgerald would meet them and would then march to Dedham.

The immense crowd did not know of what had been decided upon, and made a break for Tremont street, where they expected the men to pass. They waited in vain, however, as an hour after the order was given, 45 men, headed by their leader, Fitzgerald, and carrying the yellow flag, were marching toward Jamaica Plain. Traffic on Tremont street was blockaded for several hours after the meeting adjourned by the people waiting to see the "army" start off.

At Dedham.

DEDHAM, Mass., April 23.—The Boston delegation of the unemployed arrived here at 9:30 last evening. Friends provided a repast for the 45 travellers and their leader.

Sweetland's Crowd.

HARTFORD, April 23.—The Connecticut contribution to Coxey's army is booked to start from Bristol tomorrow. Leader Sweetland will devise means to continue the journey to Washington.

WHITE VS. BLACK.

Another Serious Race War Breaks Out In an Alabama District.

TALLULAH, La., April 23.—A race war is on in this section of Madison parish, and so far one white man and one negro have been killed, one white man badly beaten and 13 negroes are now in captivity, charged with murder.

Friday, Charles J. MacFarland, the manager of the Dancy place, had a difficulty with a negro tenant named Josh Hopkins, in which MacFarland was beaten. Friday evening a posse started in pursuit of this negro, who fled. MacFarland and a man named Boyce started at the head, and as they were crossing Brush bayou they were fired upon from ambush. Boyce was killed. MacFarland escaped to the woods, where he remained until yesterday.

As soon as the fact was made known Sheriff McClellan, with a posse, went to the scene. The negroes were located in the woods, late Saturday night, about a quarter of a mile from the place of killing. The sheriff captured Horace Williams. Just as he got to the edge of the woods, Williams made an effort to escape. The deputies fired on him and killed him. Three more negroes were captured and lodged in jail.

Triple Lynching In Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 23.—At Tuscumbia Tom Black, John Willis and Tony Johnson, negro incendiaries, were lynched. They were led to the Tennessee river bridge, ropes were placed about each of their necks, and, with the end tied to the bridge timbers, they were compelled to jump off. The fall broke their necks, and the bodies, after being filled with bullets, were left dangling where they hung.

Italians Want More Pay.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Three thousand Italian street cleaners went out on a strike at midnight for an increase of wages. The men have been working 10 hours a day for 10 cents an hour, and they demand the same hours for work and 15 cents an hour pay.

Burglars In a Postoffice.

MERRIMAC, Mass., April 23.—The postoffice was entered by prying open the front door. The intruders blew open the safe and obtained $7. The tools used in forcing an entrance were stolen from the machine shop of N. L. Howe.

A Providence Mystery.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—It is now believed that Patrick McCreary, whose body was found in the Providence river Saturday, and who was supposed to have fallen overboard accidentally, was murdered. Medical Examiner Palmer found the body terribly mutilated. The skull was crushed, probably by a blow from a heavy club. The right hand is also badly mangled. McCreary was a sailor.

Dead In His Dooryard.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 23.—Russell Wales of Bristol was found dead in his dooryard. Heart disease was the cause.

We Are Always Ready.

Our business is booming and we say let it boom. We can hire all the men we want and we never have any but skilled workmen. Our work is the best, and our price for doing it is always the lowest. John J. Barry, 408 Market street.

THE SENATE

Nine Senators Object to Discussing Details.

FAST SOUTHERN MAIL SUBSIDY IS OPPOSED.

Contests at Hand on Various Matters.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The prospect is that the tariff debate in the senate will continue this week much on the same lines as have been observed since the agreement for the regulation for hours of debate was entered into, notwithstanding the arrangement that the reading of the bill by paragraphs shall be begun on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

The Republican senators are counting upon the continuance of this program for at least another week, and expect to go on with their general speeches just as they have been doing for the past three weeks.

"General debate," said Senator Aldrich, in discussing the outlook, "will conclude Tuesday at 5 o'clock, and will be resumed Wednesday at 1 o'clock."

Senator Aldrich is among those who have not yet spoken upon the general features of the bill, and he will not now have time to get in before the reading of the bill is begun. Besides replying to Senator Mills, he will devote himself especially to the revenue features of the pending bill.

The speeches announced for the week are those of Washburn today, Mills and Palmer on Tuesday, Higgins on Wednesday and Cullom on Thursday or Friday.

Other speeches, among them one by Senator Lindsey of Kentucky, may be made on any of these days, and if no one else should be prepared to proceed at any time, Senator Quay will continue the speech of which he has already delivered several installments. It is understood that he has not exhausted more than half of the material he has collected upon the various features of the bill, and that when his speech is finally concluded and printed it will make a large book on the tariff.

Senator Dolph may also at any time conclude his unfinished speech. Senator Mills is expected to reply in a general way for the members of the finance committee to the attacks which have been made upon the bill, and his speech will be about three hours in length. Senator Higgins will discuss the Hawaiian question, basing his speech upon the provision contained in the first report of the senate bill for the nullification of the reciprocity treaty with the islands and will advocate their annexation to the United States.

Hot Contest Probable.

Nine Republican senators will make manifest their disposition to contest every inch of ground at the very beginning of the discussion of the paragraphs, as such, day after tomorrow, by attempting to have the provision of the first paragraph, providing that the new tariff shall go into effect on June 30, changed. They will contend that the custom has always been to give at least six months' notice in making a change of the tariff laws. They also say that there are other provisions in this paragraph which will require careful consideration, and a number of them agree in saying that it is probable that the chemical schedule, the first in the bill, will not be reached before next week.

Senator Harris, upon being asked, said that no agreement had been reached for the continuance of the present agreement as to hours for debate, and he was not prepared to say what would be done in that respect when that stage of the consideration of the bill should be reached.

"It will depend upon circumstances," he said, "whether we shall go on as at present. We possibly may during this week, but I should say not longer. We have already had the bill under consideration for three weeks, and its opponents have consumed the greater part of the time. They certainly should have had opportunity to exhaust their long speeches, and if a disposition should be shown to continue to make them, I shall ask for an extension of the daily time for debate.

"We shall have to come to that soon if it becomes apparent that those who are unfriendly to the bill mean to adopt dilatory tactics. I think we shall begin by meeting earlier, and if that change does not suffice to effect sufficient progress, we shall gradually extend the hours into the night, and will then begin a contest which must either exhaust the senators or exhaust the debate, and result in final action upon the bill."

House Forecast.

Appropriation bills will continue to occupy the attention of the house during the week, after today, which, under the rules, will be devoted to the consideration of business reported from the District of Columbia committee.

On Tuesday the diplomatic and consular bill, which consumed the major portion of last week, will probably be finished, and on Wednesday the postoffice appropriation bill, the consideration of which was interrupted by the departure of Chairman Henderson of the postoffice committee as one of the committee to attend the funeral of the late Senator Vance, will be resumed.

The only item in this bill undisposed of is that providing a special subsidy for the fast southern mail. As a strong fight is being made to cut off this appropriation it may require two days to get it out of the way. The general impression seems to be that the adversaries of this appropriation will not be able to defeat it, as it has earnest champions not only in the south, but in the north and west.

Business is so far advanced in the house that no attempt will probably be made to deprive the committee on claims of Friday, the day set apart under the rules, for the consideration of bills on the private calendar. After the postoffice bill is completed, the army bill will be taken up, and should it be completed, the river and harbor bill will follow. There is little chance, however, that the latter bill will be reached this week.

Dropped Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 23.—Gideon Lee, a wealthy real estate owner of New York, and well known in business circles, dropped dead last evening of heart failure.

A Man Without a Tongue.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—James Anderson of Lonsdale had his tongue cut out at the Rhode Island hospital. It was being eaten by cancer, caused by decayed teeth.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

It is well to give the Spring Overcoats question early consideration.

Business with us is good and there is not much desirable merchandise to be had. Mills are no longer making spring goods, and when the good things are gone—the first to sell—there is no chance to get more.

Three weeks from now, with our present trade, a half dozen excellent styles will be closed.

We won't hurry you—simply sound a note of warning for those who are interested in Rogers, Peet & Co.'s rightly tailored overcoats, or our own.

Proper lengths, properly made, $8, $10, $12, up to $25.

PUTNAM & SON,

ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS,

Cor. Central & Warren Sts.

HE FACED DEATH.

LOADED SHOT GUN SHOVED IN DAVE DONALDSON'S FACE.

It Might Have Gone Off and Committed Murder—Inspectors Were Serving a Search Warrant and John Caraan Was Waiting for Officer Ryder.

Inspector Dave Donaldson is still alive. He had the narrowest escape from death yesterday afternoon.

John Caraan, living at No. 86 Andrews street, showed a loaded double barrelled shot gun into his face while searching the house for contraband liquors.

Donaldson and Goodwin went to the house with a search warrant as they thought Caraan was doing an illegal liquor business. Search did not prove this to be the case for Caraan was apparently in liquor and very cranky. On going into the house Goodwin started upstairs while Donaldson pushed open a door leading off the hall. The instant the door opened a shot gun was shoved into Donaldson's face. Dave grabbed it and threw it up, thereby saving his life. The inspectors then grabbed the man and took him to the station.

It is said that Caraan had had some trouble with his wife, who appeared with a couple of black eyes of recent infliction. It was said that Caraan was waiting for Officer Chas Rider with a gun, for when he shoved the gun into Donaldson's face Caraan said something about coming after him to arrest him.

Caraan is spoken of as an easy going fellow when all right but very cranky when in liquor.

The shot gun was loaded with heavy shells and in the barrel were big slugs. It is fortunate that Caraan did not get the opportunity to use it.

A PLEASING PROGRAM

Given as the Last of the Entertainment Series at St. Patrick's School.

The last in the series of Sunday evening entertainments given by the Young Men's Catholic Literary society was held at St. Patrick's school hall last evening.

The stage was arranged to represent a drawing room and was decorated with the national colors, bunting and potted plants.

The hall was crowded with friends of the members. The program was a very entertaining one and each number elicited hearty applause. The exercises were under the direction of James Dunfey, the president of the society who extended a hearty welcome to those present. The program included the following numbers: Vocal selections by Misses Margaret McCaffrey, Josephine Morrissey, Messrs. D. S. O'Brien, Michael Gorman, John Murray and J. McMahon; recitations, Misses Hattie Fox, Bessie O'Neil, Lizzie Doran, Messrs. J. Mellen, John Cody and Dennis Donohoe; duet, Joseph and William Mahoney; trio for piano, violin and banjo, Misses Lottie and Kittie Walsh and Master John Quinn.

THE COAL STRIKE.

If Protracted May Affect the Lowell Mills.

In a review of the demand for coal by New England mills it is shown that Lowell mills among others will be affected if the gigantic coal strike is protracted. It takes considerable coal to keep the mills running and it is asserted that contracts for 10,000 tons future delivery had been been placed some time ago.

Here are figures of coal consumption in this vicinity: Railroads centering in Boston 1,000,000 tons annually; Lowell mills 100,000 tons, Lawrence mills take over 125,000, Worcester needs 165,000, Portland 212,000, New Haven 400,000, New Bedford 185,000, Fall River 275,000 and Providence 570,000.

The millionaire Boston coal syndicate owning Nova Scotia mines is expected to reap a harvest by the strike.

THE NEW BOULEVARD

Will be Commenced Upon in About a Fortnight.

It is stated that the work of extending the new boulevard from the end of the present boulevard, to Tyngs Island will begin in about a fortnight. The work will probably be done by contract.

A Fractured Arm.

Mrs. Joseph Wilson of 22 Seventh avenue met with a severe accident on Friday evening, while our riding with her son. By a sudden stopping of the horse she was thrown forward and in falling, in some way, her left arm was broken between the elbow and the shoulder. She was otherwise considerably injured, although she did not fall from the carriage. As Mrs. Wilson was previously quite lame the accident seems quite unfortunate.

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NO JOKING MATTER.

MAYOR PICKMAN HAS THE WHOLE BATCH OF LICENSES.

Not One Signed Yet or Returned to the City Clerk—What Are the Reasons for Delay?

Mayor Pickman has the entire batch of licenses in his desk for consideration.

Up till this afternoon not a license had been returned the city clerk's office with the mayor's signature.

What is the hitch? is the question which many lucky applicants is pondering.

A LIGHT DOCKET.

JUDGE HADLEY CLOSED UP CRIMINAL BUSINESS EARLY.

John Caraan Who Scared Inspector Donaldson Sent to Jail for a Vacation—Several Other Sentences Imposed.

The grist today was light for Monday, there being but 10 drunks on the list, seven week day and three Sunday drunks.

Ellen Brunelle, who has had her husband in court more than once for non-support, was in herself this morning for drunkenness. She pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the workhouse for 6 months.

John Caraan pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness. Caraan is the man who pointed a loaded shot gun at Inspector Donaldson. The latter testified that he and Inspector Goodwin went to the house on Agawam street with a search warant. He rapped on a door and the defendant opened it and pointed a shot gun at him telling him to get out or he would shoot him. It appears that Caraan had been beating his wife and was waiting for Officer Ryder to come to arrest him. He was sent to jail for three months.

Marie Marrier who is a terrible physical condition due to excessive drinking was found guilty of drunkenness and was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for eight months.

Mary Sullivan was sentenced to the work house for six months.

John Powers got 10 months at the same institution.

Ann Coggins was sent up for four months.

John Smith will sojourn at the state arm at Bridgewater. Smith wanted to be et off, as he was sick. The court when mposing the sentence said: "If you are ick that is the best place for you; there is a fine hospital, and plenty of fresh air and good food. You will enjoy yourself there."

The case of Hugh Callahan charged with assault was tried this morning.

Mary Brunelle pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness and was sent to Sherburn for 15 months.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Rev. Dr. Greene conducted services yesterday over the remains of Miles W. Stott at his parents' home, 162 Smith street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

The funeral of Howard W. Parker took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, on the Lawrence Road, Dracut, services being conducted by Rev. F. M. Lamb. Interment was in the family lot in the Varnum cemetery.

The funeral of James Harrington occurred this afternoon from his parents' home on Front street and was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Johannah McDermott took place yesterday afternoon from her late home on Lawrence street and was well attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. McManus. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late Patrick Tully, a well known and esteemed resident of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon from his residence on Westford street, and was attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the last rites were performed by Rev. D. J. Gleason of St. Patrick's church. The bearers were George Kivlin, Richard Daly, Sr., and Patrick Daly of Boston, Bernard and Patrick Clancy of Nashua, J. McCue, John Shanley and Patrick Shanley of Lowell. John E. and George F. Daley of Boston officiated as ushers. The interment was in charge of J. F. O'Donnell. Among the out of town people who attended the funeral were Richard Daly, Sr., Richard Daly, Jr., John, Thomas, George, Patrick, Rose, Derina and Ellen Daly, Mrs. Barrett, Dr. Collier, George Kivlin and Kivlin, of Boston; Bernard Glancy, Patrick Glancy, Thomas Keeley and brother, of Nashua; Mrs. Shea, Mrs. Delay, Mrs. Foley, Miss Frances Marks, Daniel and James Boyle, of Fitchburg.

The funeral of Charles H. Burbank occurred from St. John's church this afternoon. The choir sang appropriate selections and Rev. L. C. Manchester, the rector, read the service. The bearers were Messrs. Z. E. Stone, F. P. Putnam, C. Henry Bradt, Marcella Greenwood, Col. Francis and F. K. Stearns. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

Marriage Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk office today

Arthur Gibson 28, Boston, to Grace Hilton 24

Arthur N. Brown 25, Nashua, to Grace E. Hill 19.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

FINNERTY

Chicago Irishman Speaks on Ireland's Glories.

FINE DISPLAY OF ELOQUENCE AND PATRIOTISM.

Big and Enthusiastic Meeting at Associate Hall.

Hon. John F. Finnerty of Chicago, paid another visit to our city yesterday, upon the invitation of the local Hibernian lodges, and in the evening, under their auspices, he lectured in Associate hall before an audience outnumbering that which greeted him on his previous visit.

"The song and story of Ireland," was his subject, and in treating it he was ably assisted by the eminent vocalist, Mr. M. J. Murphy, of Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. James O'Sullivan called the meeting to order, and after welcoming those present introduced Mr. John A. O'Hearn as chairman of the evening. Mr. O'Hearn's remarks were very complimentary to Mr. Finnerty, and he related several incidents in connection with the life of the ex-congressman, whose name is known to all Irishmen.

The lecturer was greeted with prolonged applause. His subject was divided into six parts, each relating to some particular period in Irish history. He reviewed the early history of Ireland dwelling upon Ireland's ancient glory.

He attributed the narration of much of Ireland's history to her enemies. The coming of St. Patrick, and the conversion of the country to christianity; the battles with the Danes were related in glowing language. In speaking of the battle of Clontarf, the lecturer uttered one sentence full of significance. He said: "There are many today who boast of their Anglo-Saxon blood, but at that day they did not present a very heroic attitude."

Art. McMurrough, from whom the speaker said, the Murphy's and Cavanaugh's are descended, received considerable attention, for his effort to wipe out the whole English plantation, after the English had gained a foothold in that section of Leinster, known as "the pale." McMurrough succeeded in defeating Richard III, who landed in Waterford in 1395, with a large force.

His description of the "Wars of the Roses" was excellent. By quoting English history he showed that the "Wars of the Roses" surpassed the famous story of the Kilkenny cats. Irishmen contend for a principle; but when the Plantaganet homes of York and Lancaster robbed, murdered, poisoned and assassinated their own kin, they fought to show that the great-grandfather of one was born a short while before the other.

The next portion of the lecture was devoted to the time of Queen Elizabeth and Hugh O'Neil, and during his description, the audience could scarcely restrain their feelings as the events were pictured to them.

Attention was given to the landing of Strongbow and the time of Henry II also to Henry VIII who when he saw that he was unable to secure a divorce left the Catholic religion and became a pope in England. He showed the tyrannical disposition of Queen Elizabeth and the way she was tricked by Hugh O'Neil with whose fine bearing and figure she was so overcome that he met treachery with treachery and stored up ammunition for big battles which came to the glory of Ireland.

Cromwell's ability as a statesman and warrior was recognized but the speaker said: "It is not as a soldier that Cromwell is hated in Ireland; it is for his cruelty and treachery. For his massacre of men, women and children." He denounced Cromwell as a coward, tyrant and blood-thirsty brute.

Reference to Sarsfield and William III permitted the speaker to correct many mistaken ideas of the circumstances leading up to the battle of the Boyne. The spirit of Irish-American Catholics today may be summed up as follows: "We take our religion from Rome but not our politics."

The description of the battle of Fontenoy proved the oratorical treat of the evening. It was one grand climax, and when he pictured the 16,000 Irish exiles in the French army turning the tide of battle and rushing down on the English troops with cries of "Remember Limerick," and "Down with the Sassanach," the audience could no longer control itself and burst out into one grand roar of applause.

The seige of Limerick was next described, "the treaty broken ere the ink wherewith 'twas writ was dry," the exile of the Irish troops into France and their glorious career on European battlefields. The speaker next referred to the rebellions of 1798 and subsequent years, and showed how thousands of Irishmen, both Protestants and Catholics, had to seek refuge in America, And the Irish exiles, he said, afterwards fought gloriously against the old foe when the American colonies rebelled. After enumerating many instances in which Irishmen had rendered signal services to the American cause on land or sea, he said: And yet there are insignificant but vicious people today who say that the men who would be honored and trusted by Washingon and Lincoln are disloyal to this country. A few renegades who lef here when we became independent and went down to New Brunswick to live under George of England, now come back to taunt us with disloyalty. (Prolonged applause.)

Then came the young Ireland party under Grattan, Emmet, O'Connell, Parnell and Gladstone. In conclusion the speaker said:

As long as the English flags floats above Ireland she will never rise to anything. Either the last Irishman must perish or the English empire must be ripped into pieces. Coming down to late years we had a man whom we treated ungratefully, Parnell. He fell through human frailty, but the English did not renounce Henry VIII, or the Georges, or the Edwards, and they adore the Prince of Wales. But I consider Parnell the greatest man since Hugh O'Neil. The dream that Ireland may be free is not so extravagant, and I hope to see it soon relalized. [Great applause.]

Mr. Murphy's singing was a pleasant feature, and his excellent, well rounded voice was heard to great advantage in the following selections: "The Valley Lay Smiling Before Me," and "Oh, Where's the Slave so Lowly," by Moore, "O'Donnell Aboo," "The Low Baked Car," "Lament of Owen Rae," "Clare's Dragoon's," and "Boys of Wexford."

Memorial to Hon. George M. Brooks.

The memorial of the Middlesex county bar in honor of Hon. George M. Brooks, judge of probate, was presented to the Supreme Judicial court at Cambridge this afternoon.

Janitor P. A. Brousseau and wife are visiting their cousin, Simon Brousseau, in Salem.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR FACTORY INSPECTORSHIPS ENDORSED.

Lively Discussion on Scab Clothing Houses — Boycott on Local Dealers Threatened — The Matter Not Yet Settled.

The Central Labor union had a long and interesting meeting yesterday afternoon. The chief subject of discussion was a circular from the United Garment Workers of Boston, complaining that certain houses in Lowell patronize scab shops and sweat concerns, viz: clothing houses that send their goods out to tenement houses to be made. The scab shops, however, were those to which objection was taken.

It was shown that none of the firms in Lowell had the union label on their clothing, but a committee appointed to see the local dealers, consisting of Mr. Ring and Brother Kendall, reported that they had been kindly received by a number of dealers.

Every dealer they had met agreed to comply with the request of the circular in refusing to patronize scab labor. One said he was informed by a wholesale house that he could put the union label on every garment in his store and he happened to be among the number accused of buying from scab firms.

This led to the statement that the union label was for sale or else that a counterfeit was obtainable. Various motions were made in regard to boycotting certain houses but the wind up of the discussion was that a committee was appointed to draft a set of resolutions in circular form to be addressed to the local dealers setting forth the disposition of the labor organizations to patronize only such stores as use the union label. President Meehan, Treasurer Buckley and Mr. Rafferty were appointed to do this work.

A lively discussion was caused by the statement reported to the effect that the Building Laborers' union had made contract with a certain dealer for a number of hats required for a celebration.

The price was made but the union found hats a few cents cheaper with another dealer and purchased the latter although they were prison made goods while the higher priced hats were union made.

Treasurer Buckley repelled this statement stating that the building laborers had purchased hats as agreed from the man who made the statement. The only inference was that the dealer who made the charge was mistaken or that some other organization had been guilty of the offence instead of the building laborers.

Methods were taken to advertise the carpenters meeting to be held in Jackson hall next Friday evening.

A communication was received from the street car workers stating that they were willing to send delegates to the C. L. U. The secretary was instructed to issue credentials to them.

The matter of appointing a state factory inspector came up for discussion.

Michael Logan of the legislative committee reported that certain unions had decided not to recommend a woman for appointment.

He said there was one woman in office now and he did not know whether they could name any one that would do any better. He did not care whether this woman was dropped or not, but the Cotton Spinners union had decided to favor the appointment of a man. They found that C. A. Dam had been working for the place and he recommended the endorsement of Mr. Dam.

Mr. Logan said he had written to the governor in favor of Mr. Dam and received a reply stating that the matter would receive due attention.

This brought out a vigorous protest from the chairman and several others who said that the union must act fairly in the matter. The governor had asked for the name of a woman favored by the C. L. U. Now it was proposed to send him the name of a man and a corporation man at that. Various speakers stigmatized this as unwise. Mr. Ring was particularly emphatic. He said it would be an insult to organized labor to go outside and take up a corporation tool for endorsement as a candidate for inspector of factories. There were plenty of good men for the position naming Thomas F. Connolly, Michael Logan, Mr. Fletcher and others.

Mr. Kendall favored recommending the name of one woman and one man so that the governor could take his choice. This was adopted.

Mr. Rafferty said there is no reason for nominating Mr. Dam except that he was the only man likely to get the place. It is likely that any woman we may nominate will be placed in opposition to the present incumbent, the best factory inspector we have ever had. I never saw a factory inspector until this lady was appointed. I have seen her repeatedly on her rounds through the mills. She has certainly shown more interest in her work than did any previously appointed. This lady is in sympathy with us, and if we place a candidate against her it will be simply to displace one by another perhaps no better. The names mentioned for endorsement were Mrs. Sarah Brady, Miss Annie T. Ring, Miss Mary Murphy. Several gentlemen were also named. The matter went to a vote by ballot and the result was that Thomas F. Connoly and Mrs. Sarah Brady were nominated. Mr. Connolly declined positively and Mr. Rafferty was nominated instead.

PERSONAL.

Miss Grace Hilton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Hilton will be married to Mr. Arthur Dana Gibson of Boston at the home of the bride's parents, Walker street, Wednesday evening. The event is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest by their many friends, as they are both very prominent in society.

Miss Nellie Bean, operator at the Western Union office, was summoned home yesterday by the sudden death of her father, at Plymouth, N. H.

George S. Griggs, who went abroad with Martin, the crack cyclist, arrived home yesterday. He looks hale and hearty.

Among the clergymen who attended the dedication of St. Cecelia's church, Back Bay, Boston, yesterday, were Rev. Michael Ronan and Rev. Richard Burke of this city.

Help the Courteous Ushers.

The Dazzler company No. 2, composed of Lowell people, among whom are Ida Rogers, Marion McAlvin, Bert and Mrs. Bedell and Bobby Ralston will play at the Opera house, Wednesday afternoon at the ushers' benefit. This Dazzler company is the best yet brought out, and combined with this fact should be the desire of the Opera house patrons to show their appreciation of the courtesy and kindness of the ushers the past season by securing seats for the matinee.

Self-measured.

Have you seen the self-measuring air tight coffee canister, the best invention of the age to keep coffee aromatic. For sale at Kinsella's tea store, corner Central and Prescott streets.

FAST STEPPERS

Lowell Stables to be Well Shown on the Turf.

HOOD, OF SARSAPARILLA FAME, HEADS THE LIST.

Some of the Best Strains found in Horses Owned Here.

In a review of the turf prospects for the season in New England, a Boston paper's correspondent gave a clever account of the fast horses owned in Lowell, and the recent additions to the stables.

It is a matter of some surprise that so many good blooded horses are owned here.

C. I. Hood has the largest and most remarkable stable in charge of Byron Walker. Among the horses are these:

Daisy Rowell 2.26 1-4, own sister to Nelson. She is the dam of Hazel 2.28, and is in foal to Wilkes; 4-year-old colt, Al Ray, by Pennant; 3-year-old colt, by Viking, dam to Star Ethan; Flora B., yearling to filly, by Passenger; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Robert McGregor; mare, an own sister to Star Lily, by Passenger.

Victor Viking, 3-year-old, by Viking, dam by Dean Sage; E. S. Hylan's colt, 1-year-old, by Passenger, dam by Phil Sheridan; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Glencoe Wilkes; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam Maggie W., 2.37; yearling colt, by Passenger, owned by George T. Sheldon of North Chelmsford; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam by Dean Sage; colt, 2 year old, by Electus, dam by Malcolm King; colt, 2 years old by Hood's McGregor, dam Flora, second dam by Star Ethan.

Lorena, 2 year old record 2.21, by Strathmore, dam Miss Belmont, by Belmont, the dam of Victor Mazone. She is in foal by Gen. Hancock. Pervour, 2 year old, by Onward, dam Siren, the dam of Gazette, second dam by Mambrino chief, Prologue, 2-year-old, full sister of Acolyte, 2.21, by Onward, dam by Lady Alice, by Almont 33, second dam by Mambrino Chief; brood mare Faustina, by Crown Point, dam Dell Foster, by A. W. Richmond, dam of Faustina, 3 year-old record 2.14 1-4.

Kittie McGregor, by Hood's McGregor, dam, Dean Sage, born in July of last year; yearling colt, by Hood's McGregor, dam Sadie Tinkham.

Sheriff Cushing has a bay mare Bessie F, by Little Hamilton, with a record of 2.33 1-4, and has shown a 2.29 1-4 clip on the Tyngsboro track.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles owns and drives the b. g Prince, 2.38, and the ch. g. Little Gent, one of the fastest road horses in this vicinity.

Hon. Charles D. Palmer owns the following horses: Hebe, b. m by Redwood by Belmont, dam Hortense 2.25; Hertha, b. m. by Viking 2.19 1-4, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hermia, b. m. by Viking, dam of Hortense, Hermes, b. st. by Lumps 2.21, dam Hortense, Hildebrand, ch st. by Viking dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hector, b. g. by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hortense, Honor, bay filly by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2; Harold, black colt by Hildebrand, dam Hebe.

H. K. Ferrin is the owner of the b. g., Joe Smith, 2.20 1-4, the b. g., Honest Ben, 2.23 1-2, the brood mare Flora S., 2.42, and Lady Sherburne, 2.31.

Col. C. H. Allen recently purchased a pair of chestnut Vermont Morgans.

Murphy & Bingham purchased a short time ago, the b. g., Monkey Roller, 2.15¼, to a high-wheel sulky. This record was made Oct. 8, 1889, at Terre Haute. Monkey Roller was 12th in the first heat of that race, and won the next three heats.

R. F. Britton has in his stables the following horses: Graceful by Glencoe Granite State, a full brother to Graceful, no record, Howdy, 2.34, by Don Carlos, dam Thoroughbred, Bourbon Belle by Bourbon Prince, dam Thoroughbred. Lady Mark by Victor von Bismark. Edgemark Belle and Graceful are now being bred at Pittsfield to Lancelot and Mazatlan. Lancelot at 5 had three in the list, and is the sire of Leone, whose record as a yearling was 2.28.

Tom McLaughlin owns Pansy Blossom, which has been under the care of Dr. Charles Wood, a Lowell veterinary, all winter, and is now in excellent trim for the season. Pansy Blossom was sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by Moore's McGregor. Her record as a four year old was 2.23.

Dr. Fitzgerald of Tyngsboro is to have a meeting in June on his half-mile track in that town, which was completed last fall. Dr. Fitzgerald is the owner of the following horses, which are now in his stable: Senator Blackburn, 7 years old, by Alcyon, dam Minnie Patchen. This stallion covered a mile in 2.42 as a 2-year old; Ida C., 2.40, 6 years old, own sister to Elmbrook, in foal to Senator Blackburn; Harriet, by Indirect.

For the stallion Wilkes Boy Dr. Fitzgerald says he paid $6000 He asserts that the animal can beat 2.20. Wilkes Boy was sired by Brignoli Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. The dam is Foga, by Trojan.

Gloddy's strawberry roan stallion Union Wilkes is now owned by P. L. McBride, His record is 2.29 1-2.

George Lorman of Pawtucketville has purchased the Alack Walk stallion Robert Morrill, imported from Canada last November.

Dr. J. H. Sparks is the owner of the fast pacer Tony S., sired by Hector Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. Driven by Dr. Sparks, this pacer has covered a mile to a road wagon in 2.25.

F. Winn Taylor has a brood mare bred to Electricity, which can give many another fast goer dust. Mr. Taylor also drives a lively span.

John F. Cosgrove of the Opera house takes enjoyment riding behind a full sister of Pansy Blossom.

John Ryan is the owner of a magnificent 3-year-old, "Stanbuletta," sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by a son of Smuggler. She stands 15.3, and is a magnificently shaped filly.

Perley P. Gilman of Pawtucketville bought last week the roan mare Nancy by Wood's Hambletonian

William Farrell has a filly by Glencoe Wilkes.

J. M. Kingsbury of Bridge street has a promising colt which his son Fred drives.

A good family horse for sale at a bargain. Inquire of "D" SUN office.

"Friends" at the Opera House.

Tonight and tomorraw night the charming society drama "Friends" one of the successes of the season, will be given by the same excellent company as earlier in the season gave it. Its merits are deserving of crowded houses.

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LOOM FIXERS STRIKE.

FOUR MEN WANT THEIR OLD PAY RESTORED AT FAULKNERS.

Before the Shut-down They Got $2 Per Day; Now They Get Only $1.44—There Are Other Grievances.

The four loomfixers at Faulkner's mills went on a strike this morning for higher wages or rather a restoration of the old wages. Previous to the last shut down the men were getting $2 per day but upon resuming work last February were cut to 18 cents per hour or $1.44 a day.

Up at Faulkner's there are 21 looms to a section, the largest in the country, it is claimed, and the looms are the fastest in the city, so the four strikers say.

In Collinsville there are 18 looms to the section; the Navy Yard, 16; and the Middlesex mills 18 to the section. Last Friday the men sent a petition to Fred Faulkner requesting a restoration of the old wages. They requested a conference but Mr. Faulkner would not have it and refused to grant the request for higher wages. Finally the men went to him Saturday but received no satisfaction and so declared to strike.

When all help is employed, there are six loomfixers but at present there are only four in the mill.

It is said that by the end of the week the weavers may come out.

Many of the weavers asked for and received an advance in wages last week.

Fred Faulkner when asked about the trouble laughed and said: "You mean the loomfixers. I guess all they want is free advertising."

LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Alexander of Tewksbury is ill with the grip.

Alderman S. J. Johnson has returned home from New York.

A regular meeting of the common council will be held tomorrow evening.

Prof. Wells' class assembly will occur tonight instead of tomorrow night.

A complimentary banquet is to be tendered Postmaster G. W. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle of Reade street have gone on a visit to New York.

Crescent wheels both gentlemen and ladies $75. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

Miss Ethel Bennett is taking a short respite from her studies at St. Mary's school, Concord.

Columbia bicycles always have and do stand at the head. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

The annual love feast of the republican city committee will occur at Associate hall, Wednesday evening.

The Madrigal society closes its first season's work tomorrow evening with a concert recital in Runels' hall.

It is stated that Gov. Greenhalge will give the working people a reception at Huntington hall in the near future.

Mr. William J. Leonard has returned from the medical college at Baltimore, Md, where he has been studying the past year.

While the construction of the Concord river bridge is in progress the electric cars will run to either end and transfers be given.

Mr. George H. Russell, the laundry proprietor, is smiling hugely over the arrival of a boy, which happy event occurred on Wednesday last.

While the Lowell Machine shop resumes full time, no new help is needed, or the number of employes increased from the present number.

A Sunday school institute will be held next Thursday afternoon and evening at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday school association.

In addition to the competitive drilling at the field day of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment at Reading, May 29, there will be also a program of sports to take place after the drill, governed by the A. A. rules. Several Lowell cadets will enter the events.

Alex Morse living on Pond street, while repairing a shaft in Stott's mills in Belvidere, fell or slipped from a staging, yesterday morning, and in falling hit his chin on a pulley. A bad lacerated wound was dressed by Dr. Mulcahey.

A canvass was made in the Boott mills Wednesday to determine whether the operatives would prefer to loaf on Patriot's day or on Memorial day, and it was nearly a unanimous vote in favor of Patriots' day. The operatives said: "Give us Thursday and we will let Memorial day take care of itself."

Mr. Abbott Lawrence accompanied by Mr. George Dearborn went up the Concord river to Concord Wednesday; when within five miles of the town they were obliged to camp for the night as at that point the river spread over several acres of meadow and it was too dark for them to find the outlet.

Great cut price week in ladies' fine Capes and Jackets at the Criterion to introduce the products of the most noted manufacturer in America. Events this week; Tuesday, $1.00 for 50c. window display. Thursday Medium window display. Saturday Grand Redfern novelty window, every lady should see them.

DEATHS.

James Harrington, aged 12 years, son of Thomas and Catherine Harrington, died yesterday morning at their home on Front street.

Thomas J. Duffy, aged 37 years, died last evening at his home on Worthen street. Deceased was a letter carrier for a number of years, and was exceedingly popular with the employes of the post office. He was a member of the old 11 N.C.R.'s, and a charter member of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., and was also connected with the Royal Arcanum. Deceased had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and friends are requested not to send flowers

Mrs. Susan Brown, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Stanley, 34 Marginal street. She was the widow of the late Hiram Brown, formerly of Billerica. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Colby, widow of the late Amos Colby, died Friday at the home of her son, Dr. E. A. Colby of Gardner, Mass. She was the mother of Mrs. B. F. Crosby of this city.

Margaret Keenan, aged 75 years, died last night at her home, No. 18 Concord street.

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LATEST

U. S. TROOPERS

Ordered Out to Scout Coxey's Army.

SECRETARY OF WAR TAKES DECISIVE ACTION TODAY.

Precise Nature of the Orders Not Yet Known.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is stated that, by order of the secretary of war, troop A of the 8th U. S. cavalry, stationed in barracks at Fort Meyer, just across the river from Washington, marched at daylight this morning under order for Hagerstown, Md. where the Coxey army is encamped.

As to the nature of the orders accurate information cannot at present be obtained.

YOUNG MAN'S BODY

TAKEN FROM THE RIVER AT HAVERHILL YESTERDAY.

Was it the Body of the Man Who Fell Into the Concord Early in February?—Police Would Like to Know.

A dispatch has been received from Haverhill at the police station stating that the body of a young man, clad in a black cutaway coat, black single breasted diagonal overcoat, dark striped pants, blue striped shirt, and kid gloves, was found yesterday in the Merrimack river.

The unknown corpse wore a black moustache, and had been in the water two or three months.

Is he a Lowell man?

This is the question which the police are at present trying to solve.

The body cannot be that of the missing Donovan, for he has not been away as long a time as it has been in the water, if what the Haverhill dispatch states is true.

Nor could it have been that of the unfortunate Tully boy, for the description does not answer.

Inspector Laflamme asks the question can it be the body of Louis Gordon who when last seen, five or more weeks ago, was leaving Newmarket, N. H., to come to Lowell.

There is but one other case which could be connected with the finding of this body.

About two months ago THE SUN printed exclusively the story of the disappearance of an unknown man through the ice in the Concord river, beyond the Taylor street bridge, vouched for by two reliable persons, who were eye witnesses. No description could be given of him and nothing has ever been heard of the case since that time.

If not this unknown, the body must have fallen in the river at a point below Lowell.

THE FREE DISPENSARY.

It Will be Opened Monday by the Homeopathists

The Lowell Homeopathic Free Dispensary will be opened on Wednesday evening and another will be added to Lowell's list of charitable institutions. The institution is the result of a movement among the members of the homeopathic school of medicine who considered that their branch of medicine was not as well represented in this city as it should be or as its importance demanded. The result of this feeling was that a few days ago rooms were secured on Lee street located at number 51 near St. Joseph's church, to be used as a free dispensary. The quarters at present consist of two rooms but it is not expected that they will be more than temporary for the increased attendance expected will make a more extensive establishment necessary.

THEIR FIRST SERMONS.

Three New Methodist Clergymen Appear in Their New Pulpits.

At the Highland Methodist church yesterday, Rev. James Mudge, D. D., the new pastor preached an interesting sermon on "Bearing Burdens."

Rev. Mr. Curnick, the new pastor of the Worthen street Methodist church preached an eloquent sermon from Mathew.

Rev. Charles E. Hall D. D., the new pastor of the Centralville M. E., preached his first sermon at the church yesterday. It was an eloquent effort and was listened to by a large congregation.

Rev. Claude Rabotean in his third discussion on "Rambles in Rome" confined himself to the jewish quarters, and gave some very interesting discussions on the life they lead.

Rev. Mr. Yarrow of the Primitive Methodist church preached a sermon to the members of Waverely lodge, Sons of St. George. He dwelt at some length of the importance of Englishmen becoming naturalized as soon as possible.

BOWLING NEWS.

The last games scheduled in the city league tournament will be played this week, and the season will end with the playing off of ties if there should be any and the postponed games.

The past week was the best as far as records were concerned, the new total being 2495, with two individual totals of 594.

For seven games there were 31,983 pins knocked down, or a grand total of 244,262 pins.

Wholesome Irish Drama.

The three last days of this week at Music hall will be given up to Irish drama presented by George H. Timmons, who comes here from Boston to play "Fairies' Well" and "Kerry Fair." The engagement will no doubt attract a very large audience.

Club Members Were Frightened.

The police visited the rooms of a down town club early Sunday morning. In doing so, they frightened the members, who got out of the windows. One member is said to have broken his arm.

Not Under Civil Service Rules.

The office of truant commissioner does not come under the civil service rules. Mr. Conant says that no position within the gift of the school committee is governed by civil service rules.

It is well to give the Spring Overcoats question early consideration.

Business with us is good and there is not much desirable merchandise to be had. Mills are no longer making spring goods, and when the good things are gone—the first to sell—there is no chance to get more.

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HE FACED DEATH.

LOADED SHOT GUN SHOVED IN DAVE DONALDSON'S FACE.

It Might Have Gone Off and Committed Murder—Inspectors Were Serving a Search Warrant and John Caraan Was Waiting for Officer Ryder.

Inspector Dave Donaldson is still alive. He had the narrowest escape from death yesterday afternoon.

John Caraan, living at No. 86 Andrews street, showed a loaded double barrelled shot gun into his face while searching the house for contraband liquors.

Donaldson and Goodwin went to the house with a search warrant as they thought Caraan was doing an illegal liquor business. Search did not prove this to be the case for Caraan was apparently in liquor and very cranky. On going into the house Goodwin started upstairs while Donaldson pushed open a door leading off the hall. The instant the door opened a shot gun was shoved into Donaldson's face. Dave grabbed it and threw it up, thereby saving his life. The inspectors then grabbed the man and took him to the station.

It is said that Caraan had had some trouble with his wife, who appeared with a couple of black eyes of recent infliction. It was said that Caraan was waiting for Officer Ches Rider with a gun, for when he shoved the gun into Donaldson's face Caraan said something about coming after him to arrest him.

Caraan is spoken of as an easy going fellow when all right but very cranky when in liquor.

The shot gun was loaded with heavy shells and in the barrel were big slugs. It is fortunate that Caraan did not get the opportunity to use it.

A PLEASING PROGRAM

Given as the Last of the Entertainment Series at St. Patrick's School.

The last in the series of Sunday evening entertainments given by the Young Men's Catholic Literary society was held at St. Patrick's school hall last evening.

The stage was arranged to represent a drawing room and was decorated with the national colors, bunting and potted plants.

The hall was crowded with friends of the members. The program was a very entertaining one and each number elicited hearty applause. The exercises were under the direction of James Dunfey, the president of the society who extended a hearty welcome to those present. The program included the following numbers: Vocal selections by Misses Margaret McCaffrey, Josephine Morrissey, Messrs. D. S. O'Brien, Michael Gorman, John Murray and J. McMahon; recitations, Misses Hattie Fox, Bessie O'Neil, Lizzie Doran, Messrs. J. Mellen, John Cody and Dennis Donohoe; duet, Joseph and William Mahoney; trio for piano, violin and banjo, Misses Lottie and Kittie Walsh and Master John Quinn.

THE COAL STRIKE.

If Protracted May Affect the Lowell Mills.

In a review of the demand for coal by New England mills it is shown that Lowell mills among others will be affected if the gigantic coal strike is protracted. It takes considerable coal to keep the mills running and it is asserted that contracts for 10,000 tons future delivery had been been placed some time ago.

Here are figures of coal consumption in this vicinity: Railroads centering in Boston 1,000,000 tons annually; Lowell mills 100,000 tons, Lawrence mills take over 125,000, Worcester needs 165,000, Portland 212,000, New Haven 400,000, New Bedford 185,000, Fall River 275,000 and Providence 570,000.

The millionaire Boston coal syndicate owning Nova Scotia mines is expected to reap a harvest by the strike.

THE NEW BOULEVARD

Will be Commenced Upon in About a Fortnight

It is stated that the work of extending the new boulevard from the end of the present boulevard, to Tyngs Island will begin in about a fortnight. The work will probably be done by contract.

A Fractured Arm.

Mrs. Joseph Wilson of 22 Seventh avenue met with a severe accident on Friday evening, while out riding with her son. By a sudden stopping of the horse she was thrown forward and in falling, in some way, her left arm was broken between the elbow and the shoulder. She was otherwise considerably injured, although she did not fall from the carriage. As Mrs. Wilson was previously quite infirm the accident seems quite unfortunate.

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GARDNER W. PEARSON will probably assume his duties as postmaster by May 1.

THE SUN is not willing to credit the charges against Councilman Noble without further evidence.

THE SHERIFF of New York receives a higher salary than the president of the United States. Efforts have been made to have this changed but without avail.

THE CITIZEN is quibbling about THE SUN's statements in regard to the granting of licenses. Good democrats were punished and bad rewarded by that deal. Not all those who got licenses are bad democrats.

THE MANNER in which a republican alderman laid a scheme to entrap, if not to bribe, a councilman, led another member of the common council to remark that meddling is the special privilege of aldermen. And if a member of the lower board attempts to trespass upon this privilege he may expect to be punished.

IF COXEY's army goes to Washington it will cause trouble if not restrained within proper bounds. It should be assigned a certain district and there detained under government surveillance until such times as the heroes want to go home. Coxey and his followers will probably become unruly when they reach Washington, and if so they will speedily be put under strict discipline or driven from the city.

SOME OF the Grand Army men are dissatisfied with the manner in which Patriots' day was let pass in Lowell without any attempt to honor the memory of Ladd and Whitney the first martyrs of the civil war. The celebration was at Lexington and Concord where the first battle was fought but Lowell holds the dust of the two protomartyrs in the great struggle for the perpetuation of the republic established by the revolutionary fathers.

THE CONGREGATIONAL News deplores the abolition of Fast day, stating that now there is no platform for united discussion nor a time to focus such thought. How often on fast day have Lowell ministers spoken to empty benches? How often have they tried in vain to muster a single congregation from all the churches? But the News consoles itself upon the thought that it, and it alone, still lives in Lowell to afford the people an opportunity to make their influence felt for public reforms. Patriots' day is not recognized by the C. News as worthy of mention. It will always be celebrated with enthusiasm and will inspire the people to higher aims, loftier ideals and a more faithful obedience to the laws of God and man.

THE LICENSE COMMISSION BILL.

The bill to provide for the appointment of boards of license commissions and to define the powers and duties of the same is now exciting considerable discussion in the legislature.

The original bill provides that the governor shall appoint the commission for each city, and this feature has provoked the greatest opposition. Representative Farley from this city offered an amendment, which if adopted, would settle the matter in a popular way, but would not take it out of politics so effectively as if the commissioners were appointed by the mayor of each city.

Mr. Farley's amendment provides that the license commissioners shall be elected by the legal voters of each city at the annual state election. Each board shall consist of three persons who shall have been residents of the city at least two years immediately preceding election, and who shall not be directly or indirectly engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors. If any member of said board engages directly or indirectly in said business his place shall become vacant.

According to Mr. Farley's amendment one member shall be elected for three years, one for two years and another for one year from the first day of April next following the election, and there shall thereafter be one member of the license commission elected each year to serve for three years. Vacancies shall be filled by special election. Two members of the board shall constitute a quorum, and the board shall make a quarterly report to the mayor of the city.

A commission elected by the people would assume more importance than the board of aldermen and the election would be controlled by the liquor dealers. The amendment is right in principle but is difficult to say how it would work in practice.

Other amendments have been made providing that this commission shall be appointed by the mayor of the city in each case instead of the the governor of the commonwealth. Still another amendment provides that the appointing power shall rest with the mayor and board of aldermen. As the bill stands it is to take effect upon its passage but an amendment provides that it shall take effect when adopted by a majority of the legal voters in any city or town.

With these and many other less important amendments it is certain that the subject will be thoroughly discussed and that the original bill will undergo considerable modification before being passed if passed at all. It is quite likely, however, that the republican majority in the legislature will endeavor to remove the appointing power as far as possible from the people and that will place it in the hands of the governor as provided for in the original bill. There is no mistaking the fact that the people want a license commission, but they want one which will in some degree be under local control.

THAT WAS a rather anarchistic speech made by the Rev. Mr. Bicknell at the Royal Arcanum banquet. It is just such statements let fall under a temporary lapse of judgment that prey upon the minds of cranks and lead them to commit serious crimes. If there was any restraint in the liberty of speech in this country, Rev. Mr. Bicknell's statements would be an indictable offence. It could be easily construed into an incentive to outrage. Fortunately, none of the reverend gentleman's hearers shared his extreme views and the statements caused only surprise that a religious minister should have so expressed himself.

IT DOES not pay when a fire alarm is rung for a blaze in the brush at the poor farm or even in a rat nest in the heart of the city, to have the lives of the public along the streets endangered by the furious driving or racing of the fire department. Chief Hosmer take note that the lives of pedestrians should be protected at least as well as any old building in the city.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

No Time for Poets.

What wonder that the poets of this prosy age regret
That forces for making poesy are now so hard to get?
Those pleasant rural pictures which for years employed the pen
Of poets have been crowded out to never come again.

The weary plowman never more shall plod his weary way,
He rides a milky-like affair—a jockey trim and gay.
The sower scattering the seeds afield no more is seen,
For that, like all the other work, is done by a machine.

The rey the the mower used to swing is rusting in the shed,
A hired man now wheels the mules that do the work instead.
The merry gleaners in the wheat we can no more discern,
The job they had they yielded to a patent right concern.

The jolly thresher, with his flail, upon the old barn floor—
He, too, has left the country, for his usefulness is over.
With silk as he was pushed aside and forced to clear the way
For machinery, dull and dry, that rules the land today.

The loom and spinning wheel, which maidens used to ply with art,
Have gone, and maught has come to fill their once poetic part.
Stern realism rules the age from cradle to the grave,
There's nothing left concerning which the poet's muse may rave.

Since nearly every task today is done by steam or horse,
Toil, as a poet's theme, has grown too practical of course,
Wherever we may turn there's nought but mechanism seen,
And even Poetry like this is made by a machine.

—Chicago Mail.

Cease Your Strife.

Come, workmen, cease your strife,
That only serves to divide you.
While thus you play the game of life,
Your enemies will decide you.
Cast each unworthy thought away,
Join hands with your fellow neighbor
And all more to make the right
O'er the rights and wrongs of labor.

Why spend your time and waste your strength
In competing with your brother?
Peace and labor—You'll find at length
We labor to help each other.
To be a force men their fellows chain
By merchant or shell or other,
Swear it shall not be so again.
Unite in the ranks of labor.

"United we stand," a cabinet band,
Embrace in a cause most holy.
"Divided we fall," pushed to the wall,
The victims of our own folly.
Then clear the way. Do not delay.
Combine with your honest neighbor,
Your rights demand, and hand in hand
Uplift the standard of labor.

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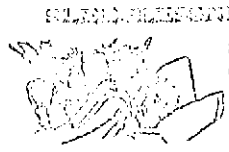

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One of the Girls—So you are wedded to music?

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The Boston Transcript tells the following dog story: A friend during his boyhood days in New Hampshire owned a big dog. Some carpenters were at work on a new house approached by a long hill from his home. The distance by road around the hill was a full mile. Each noon the dog was sent up to the new house with a jug of water. One warm day he set down the jug for a rest, and being unable to recover it it rolled to the foot of the hill. He looked at it awhile, picked it up and trotted off around the hill this time, and never afterward could he be persuaded to carry the jug by the short route.

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You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

GARDNER W. PEARSON will probably assume his duties as postmaster by May 1.

THE SUN is not willing to credit the charges against Councilman Noble without further evidence.

THE SHERIFF of New York receives a higher salary than the president of the United States. Efforts have been made to have this changed but without avail.

THE CITIZEN is quibbling about THE SUN'S statements in regard to the granting of licenses. Good democrats were punished and bad rewarded by that deal. Not all those who got licenses are bad democrats.

THE MANNER in which a republican alderman laid a scheme to entrap, if not to vilify, a councilman, led another member of the common council to remark that boodling is the special privilege of aldermen and if a member of the lower board attempts to trespass upon this privilege he may expect to be punished.

IF COXEY'S army goes to Washington it will cause trouble if not restrained within proper bounds. It should be assigned a certain district and there detained under government surveillance until such times as the heroes want to go home. Coxey and his followers will probably become unruly when they reach Washington, and if so they will speedily be put under strict discipline or driven from the city.

SOME OF the Grand Army men are dissatisfied with the manner in which Patriots' day was let pass in Lowell without any attempt to honor the memory of Ladd and Whitney the first martyrs of the civil war. The celebration was at Lexington and Concord where the first battle was fought but Lowell holds the dust of the two protomartyrs in the great struggle for the perpetuation of the republic established by the revolutionary fathers.

THE CONGREGATIONAL News deplores the abolition of Fast day, stating that now there is no platform for united discussion nor a time to focus such thought. How often on Fast day have Lowell ministers spoken to empty benches? How often have they tried in vain to muster a single congregation from all the churches? But the News consoles itself upon the thought that it, and it alone, still lives in Lowell to afford the people an opportunity to make their influence felt for public reforms. Patriots' day is not recognized by the C. News as worthy of mention. It will always be celebrated with enthusiasm and will inspire the people to higher aims, loftier ideals and a more faithful obedience to the laws of God and man.

THE LICENSE COMMISSION BILL.

The bill to provide for the appointment of boards of license commissions and to define the powers and duties of the same is now exciting considerable discussion in the legislature.

The original bill provides that the governor shall appoint the commission for each city, and this feature has provoked the greatest opposition. Representative Farley from this city offered an amendment, which if adopted, would settle the matter in a popular way, but would not take it out of politics so effectively as if the commissioners were appointed by the mayor of each city.

Mr. Farley's amendment provides that the license commissioners shall be elected by the legal voters of each city at the annual state election. Each board shall consist of three persons who shall have been residents of the city at least two years immediately preceding election, and who shall not be directly or indirectly engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors. If any member of said board engages directly or indirectly in said business his place shall become vacant.

According to Mr. Farley's amendment one member shall be elected for three years, one for two years and another for one year from the first day of April next following the election, and there shall thereafter be one member of the license commission elected each year to serve for three years. Vacancies shall be filled by special election. Two members of the board shall constitute a quorum, and the board shall make a quarterly report to the mayor of the city.

A commission elected by the people would assume more importance than the board of aldermen and the election would be controlled by the liquor dealers. The amendment is right in principle but is difficult to say how it would work in practice.

Other amendments have been made providing that this commission shall be appointed by the mayor of the city in each case instead of the the governor of the commonwealth. Still another amendment provides that the appointing power shall rest with the mayor and board of aldermen. As the bill stands it is to take effect upon its passage but an amendment provides that it shall take effect when adopted by a majority of the legal voters in any city or town.

With these and many other less important amendments it is certain that the subject will be thoroughly discussed and that the original bill will undergo considerable modification before being passed if passed at all. It is quite likely, however, that the republican majority in the legislature will endeavor to remove the appointing power as far as possible from the people and that will place it in the hands of the governor as provided for in the original bill. There is no mistaking the fact that the people want a license commission, but they want one which will in some degree be under local control.

THAT WAS a rather anarchistic speech made by the Rev. Mr. Bicknell at the Royal Arcanum banquet. It is just such statements let fall under a temporary lapse of judgment that prey upon the minds of cranks and lead them to commit serious crimes. If there was any restraint in the liberty of speech in this country, Rev. Mr. Bicknell's statements would be an indictable offence. It could be easily construed into an incentive to outrage. Fortunately, none of the reverend gentleman's hearers shared his extreme views and the statements caused only surprise that a religious minister should have so expressed himself.

IT DOES not pay when a fire alarm is rung for a blaze in the brush at the poor farm or even in a rat nest in the heart of the city, to have the lives of the public along the streets endangered by the furious driving or racing of the fire department. Chief Hosmer take note that the lives of pedestrians should be protected at least as well as any old building in the city.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

No Time for Poets.

What wonder that the poets of this prosy age regret
That themes for making poesy are now so hard to get!
Those pleasant rural pictures which for years employed the pen
Of poets have been crowded out to never come again.

The weary plowman never more shall plod his weary way.
He rides a sulkyliko affair—a jockey trim and gay.
The sower scattering the seeds afield no more is seen,
For that, like all the other work, is done by a machine.

The scythe the mower used to swing is rusting in the shed.
A hired man now whacks the mules that do the work instead.
The merry cradlers in the wheat we can no more discern.
The job they had they yielded to a patent right concern.

The jolly thrasher, with his flail, upon the old barn floor—
He, too, has left the country, for his usefulness is o'er.
With others he was pushed aside and forced to clear the way
For mechanism, dull and dry, that rules the land today.

The loom and spinning wheel, which maidens used to ply with art,
Have gone, and naught has come to fill their once poetic part.
Stern realism rules the age from cradle to the grave.
There's nothing left concerning which the poet's muse may rave.

Since nearly every task today is done by steam or horse,
Toil, as a poet's theme, has grown too practical of course.
Wherever we may turn there's naught but mechanism seen,
And even poetry like this is made by a machine.

—Chicago Mail.

Cease Your Strife.

Come, workmen, cease your strife.
That only serves to divide you.
While thus you play the game of life,
Your enemies will deride you.
Cast each unworthy thought away,
Join hands with your toiling neighbor
And all unite to make the fight
O'er the rights and wrongs of labor.

Why spend your time and waste your strength
In competing with your brother?
Pause and reflect. You'll find at length
'Tis better to help each other.
Too long have men their fellows slain
By musket or shell or saber.
Swear it shall not be so again.
Unite in the ranks of labor.

"United we stand," a gallant band,
Battling in a cause most holy.
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EARTHQUAKE

Many Persons Killed and Injured in Greece.

A NUMBER OF CHURCHES THROWN DOWN.

Later Reports Swell the List of Deaths.

ATHENS, April 23.—The earthquake shocks that began at about 7:30 Friday night continued with more or less frequency until yesterday. All Saturday night a moving of the earth was noticed, and the people of this city were in a state of semi-panic.

Thousands of people spent the whole night in the streets, dreading that should they enter their houses a more severe shock might bring the buildings down upon them. Telegraphic communication with many parts of the country is badly interrupted, and it is impossible to get news from some of the towns that must have been affected by the shocks. This uncertainty has given rise to many rumors regarding the loss of life, some of the estimates placing it at a very high number. That it is large there is no doubt.

All the dispatches from the provinces, to the number of killed and injured, will greatly swell the accounts of the damage to property. In three villages alone, Maselina, Proskina and Martino, all in the province of Locris, 129 persons were killed.

A heavy shock occurred at Proskina while vesper services were being held in the parish church, which was quite an old building, but a very substantial edifice. The walls of the church fell, burying all the worshippers in the ruins. The residents of the building were terror stricken at the violence of the seismic disturbance, and some little time elapsed before they recovered enough presence of mind to attempt to remove those covered with the debris of the church. Finally, however, a force was organized and the work of rescue began. Hardly a person in the church escaped without injury. Thirty were taken out dead, amid the wailing and sobbing of their relatives and friends. Houses were thrown down in other parts of the village, and the money loss is great.

But Few Escaped.

Some of the villagers are practically ruined. At Maselina houses tottered and fell as though built of cardboard. Hundreds of their occupants were caught before they had time to more than attempt to escape. In this little village 60 persons were killed, some of the bodies being crushed out of all semblance to humanity. In some cases entire families, fathers, mothers and children, were taken out of the ruins dead.

At Martino 39 persons were killed. Here, as at Proskina, the parish church was the scene of the greatest number of fatalities, the walls of the structure being thrown from their foundations and toppled upon the worshippers. The others who lost their lives were killed by falling houses.

It would be almost impossible to describe the scene in these villages. The people appear to be stunned by the severity of the blow that has fallen upon them, and many of them are completely apathetic.

Others who lost loved ones are nearly crazed with grief, and many heart-rending scenes have been witnessed as the dead are orderly removed from the masses of wreckage that once represented dwelling houses and places of worship.

In the vicinity of Athens the fatalities were less numerous, but the damage to property is immense. The offices of the American Lloyd and other steamship companies were partially destroyed.

The domes, walls and mosaics of the famous Byzantine church of Daphnea were very seriously injured.

King Will Go the Rounds.

King George will start for the maritime districts that have been devastated by the shocks. He will be accompanied by the minister of the interior and other officials, and together they will decide upon the measures that must be taken to alleviate the distress among the people.

The reports that have thus far been received show that very many of the deaths occurred in the churches. Last week was passion week in the Greek church and religious services were held every day and evening. The services were very largely attended, and, several churches falling, this, in a measure, accounts for the large loss of life. A majority of the victims were women and children.

The government will be compelled to adopt extraordinary measures to help the poor in the districts affected. Steps to this end have already been taken, and the state authorities are giving quick response to the calls that are being made upon them.

The total number of deaths thus far reported is 160, but there is scarcely any question that this number will be augmented when the more remote villages are heard from.

When this dispatch was being sent from Athens, a sharp shock was felt that for a time caused consternation among everybody in the telegraph office.

Pacific Coast Steamer Wrecked.

MONTEREY, Cal., April 23.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Los Angeles, bound north from Newport and way ports to San Francisco, ran on the rocks at Point Sur lighthouse Saturday night. The steamer sank within a few minutes, and the passengers and crew took to the boats. Three men in the forward part of the vessel were caught by the rush of water and drowned.

Another Bad Anarchist Captured.

LONDON, April 23.—Owing to revelations made by Francesco Polti, the anarchist, the police have arrested an Italian named Giuseppe Ferrara. It is said that Ferrara controlled the collection and distribution of funds for the anarchist cause, and directed the manufacture and disposal of shells.

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BOSTON, April 23.—The employes in the freight sheds of the Fitchburg railroad held a special meeting yesterday. A committee was appointed to request the management that the old rate of $1.75 a day be restored.

The Situation Unchanged.

ST. PAUL, April 23.—Locally there is little change in the Great Northern situation. In the matter of the proposed conference nothing has been developed.

Something Unusual.

HALIFAX, April 23.—For the first time in over 40 years Halifax harbor is closed to navigation by ice. The continuous east and northeast winds that have prevailed for the past two weeks have driven large fields of heavy gulf ice on to this coast, and it now extends from Cause west to Lunenburg.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

An intercollegiate Arctic expedition is being organized.

The colonial legislature of Newfoundland was prorogued.

Five children in one family at Goshen, N. Y., died within a few days.

Actor Bob Hilliard's wife secured a divorce and $25 a week alimony.

Heavy rains in New Hampshire have caused streams to rise rapidly.

Porter Cross, aged 80, a retired building mason, died at Springfield, Mass.

Vice President Harris of the Northern Pacific Railroad company is dead.

James Feciere, living in Ludlow, Mass., was run over by a freight train and died soon after.

Augustin Daly has been tendered a complimentary dinner in London by Consul General Collins.

Charles Brimblecom of Barre, Mass., 60 years old, a prominent lawyer in western Worcester county, is dead.

Great damage by the earthquake in Greece. A warship has been sent to the relief of the distressed district.

Edward H. Thayer, ex-treasurer of the Boston Postoffice Clerks' association, is said to be short in his accounts.

The assistant rector of St. Ignatius church, New York, claims to have been forced to leave by Bishop Potter.

Governor Brown of Rhode Island has been appointed one of the three judges in the declamation contest between Yale and Harvard.

A case of smallpox was reported to the Worcester (Mass.) board of health. The victim is Mrs. George Wiberg, wife of a travelling Swedish minister.

A United States fish car has just finished distributing 50,000 brook trout among the different streams that run by the side of the Bennington and Rutland railroad in Vermont.

William Alexander, who has been creating disturbances in school at Plymouth, N. H., was sentenced to 30 days in jail and costs, the jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior.

VICTIM WAS TIPSY.

Town of Sharon, Mass., Excited Over a Sunday Tragedy.

SHARON, Mass., April 23.—Charles F. Ilkenhaus has been arrested for the killing of James Tracy. Not since the finding of the body of Carrie Whitney, who was murdered on the shore of Lake Massapoag about eight years ago, has there been so much excitement in this little town.

Early Sunday morning James Tracy, who is said to have been half drunk, with two companions, tried to gain admittance to Ilkenhaus' house, and were met by Ilkenhaus at the door. Tracy stood on the top step and his companions were in the rear.

Ilkenhaus opened the door but a few inches and emptied the chambers of a 38-caliber revolver into the body of Tracy.

One of the bullets proved fatal, and that entered his side about 2 1-2 inches above the left nipple, between the fourth and fifth ribs, through his left lung, severing an artery, and through his right lung, striking the fourth rib, on his right side, and lodging just beneath the skin under his arm.

When the first shot was fired Tracy and his companions started to run, and Ilkenhaus, after firing three shots, closed his door, unconscious of the results of his shooting.

The only explanation he gives is that the men were trying to rob his home and he shot in self-defense.

The men said that they came along the road as they always did and made no unusual noises. They say that they went to the house because they saw a light in the window and wanted to get a match. They rapped on the door, and in response Ilkenhaus came, and before they knew what was up the fatal revolver spoke and the next they saw was Tracy staggering out and falling headlong over the stone steps to the sidewalk.

Serious Carriage Accident.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—A carriage in which four ladies were riding was overturned on Manning street, and all of the occupants were thrown out. Miss Mary Parker was injured about the head and made unconscious, and is believed to have suffered a fracture of the skull.

Fog and Ice Bound.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 23.—The enormous quantity of ice which has floated down along the Nova Scotia coast has blockaded Halifax harbor, and, together with the dense fog which has prevailed, has temporarily suspended navigation. Many vessels are tied up here.

The Coxey Crowd.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 23.—After a three days' stop in this place the Coxey cohorts are preparing to march on to Frederick. Mayor Fleming of Frederick is preparing a frosty reception of the army. He has announced that no public meeting will be allowed, unless in a hall, and that there shall be no parade on the street.

Target Tender Is Dead.

BANGOR, Me., April 23.—Richard W. Hewey, aged 32 years, died yesterday from the effects of a bullet wound received Thursday. He was tending target at the range of the Hamlin Rifles, and came before a target without signalling, receiving a bullet over the heart. He was not seen by the man who was shooting.

An Unexplained Accident.

BOSTON, April 23.—At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning Andrew J. Hayes, 30 years of age, fell from the roof of the four-story building, 328 Federal street, to the sidewalk, and was instantly killed. How or why young Hayes went upon the roof is unknown, and the police will make an investigation.

An Overdue Steamer.

MONTREAL, April 23.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the fruit laden steamship Premier, which left Halifax on Tuesday last for Montreal. Her cargo is valued at $10,000, and is likely to be ruined if the steamer is detained much longer.

Damaging Bomb In Pessaro.

ROME, April 23.—A bomb exploded in a sugar refinery in Pessaro, on the Adriatic. Six persons were injured severely and the building was partly wrecked.

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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 12.43, 3.25, 4.40, 5.10, 6.05, 6.20 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.30, p. m.

For Lawrence, 6.30, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.10 a. m. 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.20 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.10 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 9.20 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 9.50 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland, 9.20 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 9.50 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Skowhegan, Rockland, 9.50 a. m., 12.15, 5.10 p.m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

For St. John N. B., Montreal, Quebec, 9.50 a. m., 5.10 p. m. (9.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.35 p. m.

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EARTHQUAKE

Many Persons Killed and Injured in Greece.

A NUMBER OF CHURCHES THROWN DOWN.

Later Reports Swell the List of Deaths.

ATHENS, April 23.—The earthquake shocks that began at about 7:30 Friday night continued with more or less frequency until yesterday. All Saturday night a moving of the earth was noticed, and the people of this city were in a state of semi-panic.

Thousands of people spent the whole night in the streets, dreading that should they enter their houses a more severe shock might bring the buildings down upon them. Telegraphic communication with many parts of the country is badly interrupted, and it is impossible to get news from some of the towns that must have been affected by the shocks. This uncertainty has given rise to many rumors regarding the loss of life, some of the estimates placing it at a very high number. That it is large there is no doubt.

All the dispatches from the provinces, to the number of killed and injured, will greatly swell the accounts of the damage to property. In three villages alone, Maselina, Proskina and Martino, all in the province of Locris, 129 persons were killed.

A heavy shock occurred at Proskina while vesper services were being held in the parish church, which was quite an old building, but a very substantial edifice. The walls of the church fell, burying all the worshippers in the ruins. The residents of the building were terror stricken at the violence of the seismic disturbance, and some little time elapsed before they recovered enough presence of mind to attempt to remove those covered with the debris of the church. Finally, however, a force was organized and the work of rescue began. Hardly a person in the church escaped without injury. Thirty were taken out dead, amid the wailing and sobbing of their relatives and friends. Houses were thrown down in other parts of the village, and the money loss is great.

But Few Escaped.

Some of the villagers are practically ruined. At Malesina houses tottered and fell as though built of cardboard. Hundreds of their occupants were caught before they had time to more than attempt to escape. In this little village 60 persons were killed, some of the bodies being crushed out of all semblance to humanity. In some cases entire families, fathers, mothers and children, were taken out of the ruins dead.

At Martino 39 persons were killed. Here, as at Proskina, the parish church was the scene of the greatest number of fatalities, the walls of the structure being thrown from their foundations and toppled upon the worshippers. The others who lost their lives were killed by falling houses.

It would be almost impossible to describe the scene in these villages. The people appear to be stunned by the severity of the blow that has fallen upon them, and many of them are completely apathetic.

Others who lost loved ones are nearly crazed with grief, and many heart-rending scenes have been witnessed as the dead are tenderly removed from the masses of wreckage that once represented dwelling houses and places of worship.

In the vicinity of Athens the fatalities were less numerous, but the damage to property is immense. The offices of the American Lloyd and other steamship companies were partially destroyed.

The domes, walls and mosaics of the famous Byzantine church of Daphnea were very seriously injured.

King Will Go the Rounds.

King George will start for the maritime districts that have been devastated by the shocks. He will be accompanied by the minister of the interior and other officials, and together they will decide upon the measures that must be taken to alleviate the distress among the people.

The reports that have thus far been received show that very many of the deaths occurred in the churches. Last week was passion week in the Greek church and religious services were held every day and evening. The services were very largely attended, and, several churches falling, this, in a measure, accounts for the large loss of life. A majority of the victims were women and children.

The government will be compelled to adopt extraordinary measures to help the poor in the districts affected. Steps to this end have already been taken, and the state authorities are giving quick response to the calls that are being made upon them.

The total number of deaths thus far reported is 160, but there is scarcely any question that this number will be augmented when the more remote villages are heard from.

When this dispatch was being sent from Athens, a sharp shock was felt that for a time caused consternation among everybody in the telegraph office.

Pacific Coast Steamer Wrecked.

MONTEREY, Cal., April 23.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Los Angeles, bound north from Newport and way ports to San Francisco, ran on the rocks at Point Sur lighthouse Saturday night. The steamer sank within a few minutes, and the passengers and crew took to the boats. Three men in the forward part of the vessel were caught by the rush of water and drowned

Another Bad Anarchist Captured.

LONDON, April 23.—Owing to revelations made by Francesco Polti, the anarchist, the police have arrested an Italian named Giuseppe Ferrara. It is said that Ferrara controlled the collection and distribution of funds for the anarchist cause, and directed the manufacture and disposal of shells.

For $1.75 a Day.

BOSTON, April 23.—The employes in the freight sheds of the Fitchburg railroad held a special meeting yesterday. A committee was appointed to request the management that the old rate of $1.75 a day be restored.

The Situation Unchanged.

ST. PAUL, April 23.—Locally there is little change in the Great Northern situation. In the matter of the proposed conference nothing has been developed.

Something Unusual.

HALIFAX, April 23.—For the first time in over 40 years Halifax harbor is closed to navigation by ice. The continuous east and northeast winds that have prevailed for the past two weeks have driven large fields of heavy gulf ice on to this coast, and it now extends from Canso west to Lunenburg.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

An intercollegiate Arctic expedition is being organized.

The colonial legislature of Newfoundland was prorogued.

Five children in one family at Goshen, N. Y., died within a few days.

Actor Bob Hilliard's wife secured a divorce and $25 a week alimony.

Heavy rains in New Hampshire have caused streams to rise rapidly.

Porter Cross, aged 86, a retired building mason, died at Springfield, Mass.

Vice President Harris of the Northern Pacific Railroad company is dead.

James Feciere, living in Ludlow, Mass., was run over by a freight train and died soon after.

Augustin Daly has been tendered a complimentary dinner in London by Consul General Collins.

Charles Brimblecom of Barre, Mass., 60 years old, a prominent lawyer in western Worcester county, is dead.

Great damage by the earthquake in Greece. A warship has been sent to the relief of the distressed district.

Edward H. Thayer, ex-treasurer of the Boston Postoffice Clerks' association, is said to be short in his accounts.

The assistant rector of St. Ignatius church, New York, claims to have been forced to leave by Bishop Potter.

Governor Brown of Rhode Island has been appointed one of the three judges in the declamation contest between Yale and Harvard.

A case of smallpox was reported to the Worcester (Mass.) board of health. The victim is Mrs. George Wiberg, wife of a travelling Swedish minister.

A United States fish car has just finished distributing 50,000 brook trout among the different streams that run by the side of the Bennington and Rutland railroad in Vermont.

William Alexander, who has been creating disturbances in school at Plymouth, N. H., was sentenced to 30 days in jail and costs, the jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior.

VICTIM WAS TIPSY.

Town of Sharon, Mass., Excited Over a Sunday Tragedy.

SHARON, Mass., April 23.—Charles F. Ilkenhaus has been arrested for the killing of James Tracy. Not since the finding of the body of Carrie Whitney, who was murdered on the shore of Lake Massapoag about eight years ago, has there been so much excitement in this little town.

Early Sunday morning James Tracy, who is said to have been half drunk, with two companions, tried to gain admittance to Ilkenhaus' house, and were met by Ilkenhaus at the door. Tracy stood on the top step and his companions were in the rear.

Ilkenhaus opened the door but a few inches and emptied the chambers of a 38-caliber revolver into the body of Tracy.

One of the bullets proved fatal, and that entered his side about 2 1-2 inches above the left nipple, between the fourth and fifth ribs, through his left lung, severing an artery, and through his right lung, striking the fourth rib, on his right side, and lodging just beneath the skin under his arm.

When the first shot was fired Tracy and his companions started to run, and Ilkenhaus, after firing three shots, closed his door, unconscious of the results of his shooting.

The only explanation he gives is that the men were trying to rob his home and he shot in self-defense.

The men said that they came along the road as they always did and made no unusual noises. They say that they went to the house because they saw a light in the window and wanted to get a match. They rapped on the door, and in response Ilkenhaus came, and before they knew what was up the fatal revolver spoke and the next they saw was Tracy staggering out and falling headlong over the stone steps to the sidewalk.

Serious Carriage Accident.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—A carriage in which four ladies were riding was overturned on Manning street, and all of the occupants were thrown out. Miss Mary Parker was injured about the head and made unconscious, and is believed to have suffered a fracture of the skull.

Fog and Ice Bound.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 23.—The enormous quantity of ice which has floated down along the Nova Scotia coast has blockaded Halifax harbor, and, together with the dense fog which has prevailed, has temporarily suspended navigation. Many vessels are tied up here.

The Coxey Crowd.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 23.—After a three days' stop in this place the Coxey cohorts are preparing to march on to Frederick. Mayor Fleming of Frederick is preparing a frosty reception of the army. He has announced that no public meeting will be allowed unless in a hall, and that there shall be no parade on the street.

Target Tender Is Dead.

BANGOR, Me., April 23.—Richard W. Hewey, aged 32 years, died yesterday from the effects of a bullet wound received Thursday. He was tending target at the range of the Hamlin Rifles, and came before a target without signalling, receiving a bullet over the heart. He was not seen by the man who was shooting.

An Unexplained Accident.

BOSTON, April 23.—At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning Andrew J. Hayes, 30 years of age, fell from the roof of the four-story building, 328 Federal street, to the sidewalk, and was instantly killed. How or why young Hayes went upon the roof is unknown, and the police will make an investigation.

An Overdue Steamer.

MONTREAL, April 23.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the fruit laden steamship Premier, which left Halifax on Tuesday last for Montreal. Her cargo is valued at $10,000, and is likely to be ruined if the steamer is detained much longer.

Damaging Bomb In Pessaro.

ROME, April 23.—A bomb exploded in a sugar refinery in Pessaro, on the Adriatic. Six persons were injured severely and the building was partly wrecked.

A world of misery is implied in the words "Sick Headache." A world of relief is wrapped up in a twenty-five cent box of

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THE SENATE

Nine Senators Object to Discussing Details.

FAST SOUTHERN MAIL SUBSIDY IS OPPOSED.

Contests at Hand on Various Matters.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The prospect is that the tariff debate in the senate will continue this week much on the same lines as have been observed since the agreement for the regulation for hours of debate was entered into, notwithstanding the arrangement that the reading of the bill by paragraphs shall be begun on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

The Republican senators are counting upon the continuance of this program for at least another week, and expect to go on with their general speeches just as they have been doing for the past three weeks.

"General debate," said Senator Aldrich, in discussing the outlook, "will conclude Tuesday at 5 o'clock, and will be resumed Wednesday at 1 o'clock."

Senator Aldrich is among those who have not yet spoken upon the general features of the bill, and he will not now have time to get in before the reading of the bill is begun. Besides replying to Senator Mills, he will devote himself especially to the revenue features of the pending bill.

The speeches announced for the week are those of Washburn today, Mills and Palmer on Tuesday, Higgins on Wednesday and Cullom on Thursday or Friday.

Other speeches, among them one by Senator Lindsey of Kentucky, may be made on any of these days, and if no one else should be prepared to proceed at any time, Senator Quay will continue the speech of which he has already delivered several installments. It is understood that he has not exhausted more than half of the material he has collected upon the various features of the bill, and that when his speech is finally concluded and printed it will make a large book on the tariff.

Senator Dolph may also at any time conclude his unfinished speech. Senator Mills is expected to reply in a general way for the members of the finance committee to the attacks which have been made upon the bill, and his speech will be about three hours in length. Senator Higgins will discuss the Hawaiian question, basing his speech upon the provision contained in the first report of the senate bill for the nullification of the reciprocity treaty with the islands and will advocate their annexation to the United States.

Hot Contest Probable.

Nine Republican senators will make manifest their disposition to contest every inch of ground at the very beginning of the discussion of the paragraphs, as such, day after tomorrow, by attempting to have the provision of the first paragraph, providing that the new tariff shall go into effect on June 30, changed. They will contend that the custom has always been to give at least six months' notice in making a change of the tariff laws. They also say that there are other provisions in this paragraph which will require careful consideration, and a number of them agree in saying that it is probable that the chemical schedule, the first in the bill, will not be reached before next week.

Senator Harris, upon being asked, said that no agreement had been reached for the continuance of the present agreement as to hours for debate, and he was not prepared to say what would be done in that respect when that stage of the consideration of the bill should be reached.

"It will depend upon circumstances," he said, "whether we shall go on as at present. We possibly may during this week, but I should say not longer. We have already had the bill under consideration for three weeks, and its opponents have consumed the greater part of the time. They certainly should have had opportunity to exhaust their long speeches, and if a disposition should be shown to continue to make them, I shall ask for an extension of the daily time for debate.

"We shall have to come to that soon if it becomes apparent that those who are unfriendly to the bill mean to adopt undilatory tactics. I think we shall begin by meeting earlier, and if that change does not suffice to effect sufficient progress, we shall gradually extend the hours into the night, and will then begin a contest which must either exhaust the senators or exhaust the debate, and result in final action upon the bill."

House Forecast.

Appropriation bills will continue to occupy the attention of the house during the week, after today, which, under the rules, will be devoted to the consideration of business reported from the District of Columbia committee.

On Tuesday the diplomatic and consular bill, which consumed the major portion of last week, will probably be finished, and on Wednesday the postoffice appropriation bill, the consideration of which was interrupted by the departure of Chairman Henderson of the postoffice committee as one of the committee to attend the funeral of the late Senator Vance, will be resumed.

The only item in this bill undisposed of is that providing a special subsidy for the fast southern mail. As a strong fight is being made to cut off this appropriation it may require two days to get it out of the way. The general impression seems to be that the adversaries of this appropriation will not be able to defeat it, as it has earnest champions not only in the south, but in the north and west.

Business is so far advanced in the house that no attempt will probably be made to deprive the committee on claims of Friday, the day set apart under the rules, for the consideration of bills on the private calendar. After the postoffice bill is completed, the army bill will be taken up, and should it be completed, the river and harbor bill will follow. There is little chance, however, that the latter bill will be reached this week.

Dropped Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 23.—Gideon Lee, a wealthy real estate owner of New York, and well known in business circles, dropped dead last evening of heart failure.

A Man Without a Tongue.

PROVIDENCE April 23.—James Anderson of Lonsdale had his tongue cut out at the Rhode Island hospital. It was being eaten by cancer, caused by decayed teeth.

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INDUSTRIAL ARMY

DID NOT START FROM BOSTON COMMON YESTERDAY.

Mass Meeting of 35,000 People on the Common—The Whole Affair is a Large Sized Fizzle.

BOSTON, April 23.—A vast crowd assembled on Boston Common yesterday afternoon to witness the departure of the unemployed for Washington, where they hope to join Coxey's army. When Morrison I. Swift stepped on to the improvised platform there were fully 25,000 present, and soon after the meeting got into working order fully 35,000 were gathered around the bandstand.

The crowd was a good-natured, hustling, bustling one, and did not seem to be at all impressed with the occasion or to be in sympathy with the movement that the meeting was called for, but had come simply to have and make fun, which they did to their hearts' content, but at no time was there anything that could be called disorderly. Swift opened the meeting, but not having a very powerful voice he could not be heard at a great distant, and after standing some time the crowd began to surge forward, and those in front of the speaker were forced on to the small platform, which succumbed to the strain and was broken to fragments. The speaker was thrown against the sapling fence that surrounds the bandstand, and under the pressure from the crowd the fence was bent, but did not break.

Swift took his position on the bandstand, and delivered his characteristic speech denouncing the wealthy, the monopolists and everybody in general that did not sympathize with the socialist platform.

The speeches were continually interrupted by the tactics of the crowd, who, when anything did not meet their approval, would hiss and whistle and commence to push those in front of them until those close to the fence would cry out, and which generally brought forth remonstrance from the speakers.

Swift submitted a letter to President Cleveland, purporting to be a review of the grievances of the "unemployed thousands in New England," and it was adopted by a mighty "Yes."

At this point there was a conference between the leaders while one of them was speaking, and as a result those who had enrolled themselves in the delegation were told to slip away quietly and meet at Roxbury crossing, where Major General Fitzgerald would meet them and would then march to Dedham.

The immense crowd did not know of what had been decided upon, and made a break for Tremont street, where they expected the men to pass. They waited in vain, however, as an hour after the order was given, 45 men, headed by their leader, Fitzgerald, and carrying the yellow flag, were marching toward Jamaica Plain. Traffic on Tremont street was blockaded for several hours after the meeting adjourned by the people waiting to see the "army" start off.

At Dedham.

DEDHAM, Mass., April 23.—The Boston delegation of the unemployed arrived here at 9:30 last evening. Friends provided a repast for the 45 travellers and their leader.

Sweetland's Crowd.

HARTFORD, April 23.—The Connecticut contribution to Coxey's army is booked to start from Bristol tomorrow. Leader Sweetland will devise means to continue the journey to Washington.

WHITE VS. BLACK.

Another Serious Race War Breaks Out In an Alabama District.

TALLULAH, La., April 23.—A race war is on in this section of Madison parish, and so far one white man and one negro have been killed, one white man badly beaten and 13 negroes are now in captivity, charged with murder.

Friday, Charles J. MacFarland, the manager of the Dancy place, had a difficulty with a negro tenant named Josh Hopkins, in which MacFarland was beaten. Friday evening a posse started in pursuit of this negro, who fled. MacFarland and a man named Boyce started at the head, and as they were crossing Brush bayou they were fired upon from ambush. Boyce was killed. MacFarland escaped to the woods, where he remained until yesterday.

As soon as the fact was made known Sheriff McClellan, with a posse, went to the scene. The negroes were located in the woods, late Saturday night, about a quarter of a mile from the place of killing. The sheriff captured Horace Williams. Just as he got to the edge of the woods, Williams made an effort to escape. The deputies fired on him and killed him. Three more negroes were captured and lodged in jail.

Triple Lynching In Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 23.—At Tuscombia Tom Black, John Willis and Tony Johnson, negro incendiaries, were lynched. They were led to the Tennessee river bridge, ropes were placed about each of their necks, and, with the end tied to the bridge timbers, they were compelled to jump off. The fall broke their necks, and the bodies, after being filled with bullets, were left dangling where they hung.

Italians Want More Pay.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Three thousand Italian street cleaners went out on a strike at midnight for an increase of wages. The men have been working 10 hours a day for 10 cents an hour, and they demand the same hours for work and 15 cents an hour pay.

Burglars In a Postoffice.

MERRIMAC, Mass., April 23.—The postoffice was entered by prying open the front door. The intruders blew open the safe and obtained $7. The tools used in forcing an entrance were stolen from the machine shop of N. L. Howe.

A Providence Mystery.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—It is now believed that Patrick McCreary, whose body was found in the Providence river Saturday, and who was supposed to have fallen overboard accidentally, was murdered. Medical Examiner Palmer found the body terribly mutilated. The skull was crushed, probably by a blow from a heavy club. The right hand is also badly mangled. McCreary was a sailor.

Dead In His Dooryard.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 23.—Russell Wales of Bristol was found dead in his dooryard. Heart disease was the cause.

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ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, APRIL 23.

SUN RISES.....4 51 | MOON RISES..11 44 PM
SUN SETS.....6 45 | HIGH WATER..9 00 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..13 54 | FULL SEA.. 2 30 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Local showers; variable winds; slightly cooler in Vermont.

For Massachusetts: Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in western portion.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; westerly winds.

NO SENTIMENT.

There is no sentiment in trade. People buy where they can get the most for their money. Compare each edition of THE SUN with any paper in the city issued at the same hour, and see which gives you the most for your money.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Girard R. Dadman may be nominated for registrar of voters.

Peter A. Fay, Esq., will be a candidate for chairman of the democratic city committee.

The Andover conference in the Kirk Street church tomorrow will call together over 500 delegates.

Councilman P. J. O'Brien of Ward One will be brought forward by his friends as a representative candidate next fall.

Arthur C. Benner, John B. Coleman and Fred McMonagle are the latest candidates for the truant commissionership.

Ex-Councilman W. H. Stafford's name is mentioned in connection with the representative contest in Ward Three.

Don't forget to call and see the line of ice chests and refrigerators displayed at J. J. Gayner & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

The regular meeting of the school board will be held next Monday night, and not tonight as stated by some of the papers.

The Columbia Whist club met with Mrs. Batchelder of Hastings street, Saturday evening, and the first prize was awarded to Mrs. H. G. Cushing.

Among the candidates mentioned for the position of truant commissioner is Michael J. Manning, president of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

Bicycle mendors report increased business since Patriots' day. Many cycles came out rather the worse for wear by reason of the riders' enthusiasm and a trip to old Concord.

Arbor day is to be observed by the Village Improvement association of Chelmsford Centre next Saturday. After the work upon the streets and public grounds dinner will be served.

William Lyons the popular employe of the Kitson's Machine shop at the request of many of his friends has consented to stand as a candidate for the democratic city committee from Ward one.

The new Congregational church in North Chelmsford, Rev. Mr. Briant pastor, is to be dedicated next Thursday. The new structure takes the place of the church destroyed by fire in January of last year.

Now that the novelty of the first and only fender equipped electric car has worn off, people are led to inquire what good it would be as a protective prefix while being carried from 12 to 18 inches above the car rails.

Mr. William Benson the well known actor, is visiting at his home in this city. Mr. Benson previous to securing a permanent engagement was a well known amateur actor, having been, for many years, connected with the Lowell Reform club dramatic society.

Some people think, judging from appearances, that it would be nearly as cheap to rebuild the ex-corporation house, corner of Paige and Bridge streets, than to alter it over for store purposes. A new front and new floor timbers seem to be coming pretty near the first principles in building.

The Veteran Firemen.

The new tournament rules of the N. E. Veteran Firemen's league as presented by the committee for consideration at the May meeting, provide for only a few changes from the old code, as follows:

Rubber hose must be used hereafter. None but bona fide members can work on engines or march in the parade. No baggage or luggage wagons of any sort will be allowed in the parade.

Otherwise the rules are the same, including the pipe chain attachments and curved line of hose. The rules have been subdivided and number 30 in all.

The muster season will open this year much earlier than usual. The first muster will be held at Peabody, Tuesday, June 5, under the same management as last year, with the same rules, including the straight line of hose with the overlap abatements.

SEEN AND HEARD.

Rep. Daniel Murphy is mentioned as a candidate for congress——on the socialist ticket.

How it came about was as follows: "Billy" Meade while in Boston on business the other day met P. F. O'Neil, last year's candidate for governor on the socialist ticket. To Billy he explained the workings of the party together with its strength and asked his opinion of the best man to run for congress on the ticket from this district. Billy immediately thought of Rep. Dan Murphy as the man and Mr. O'Neil agreed that Dan would fill the bill, so therefore Dan was made the candidate.

But the candidate himself had something to say in the matter and when approached by a SUN reporter, he said: "I decline with thanks the candidacy. At present my two legs are the same length and I wish to keep them that way," and Dan walked away murmuring something about that quality which some people possess which tends to keep flies away from them.

The office is seeking the man and here is a good chance for some ambitious politician.

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The Friday evening closing movement is between hay and grass, apparently. A. G. Pollard & Co., still continue to close and are in favor of making it a permanent thing, except around holidays, when extra time is needed to serve customers. Last week many stores opened. One of the fancy goods stores did not take in in sales (not profit) enough to pay the cost of electric lights. People trade Saturday afternoons, and as a rule they have gotten out of coming down town Friday nights.

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Engineer Hart of the pumping station told me a few days ago that new big $80,000 beauty, the Worthington high pressure engine, is only run occasionally, as the driven wells system has robbed it of its work. He starts up the big machine to keep the parts in good order and to prevent corrosion setting in.

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The parents of many pupils in the High school complain bitterly that they are obliged to purchase new gowns for their daughters, if the latter are to appear in the calisthenic drill on the annual exhibition day. It appears that the instructress decides what shall be worn and what shall not.

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LABOR FEDERATION.

EMPLOYES OF THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD UNITED.

They Are Not Organized for Trouble But for Mutual Protection.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 23.—Three hundred of the employes of the Consolidated Railroad company met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming a federation to be made up of the six labor organizations into which the employes are divided. The meeting was purely in the interests of employes of the Consolidated, although there were quite a number of guests from lodges in other parts of the country.

The organizations represented were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, Order of Railroad Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Order of Railroad Telegraphers and Switchmen's Mutual Aid association. The question of forming a system of federation was fully discussed, and a big majority were in favor of the proposition. A committee made up of one member from each of the organizations was appointed to visit every lodge throughout the system and report at a further meeting.

An Open Meeting.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a public meeting was held in the Grand Opera house. C. A. Wilkins of Chicago, assistant grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, said that the meeting did not necessarily mean that the men were planning a disturbance. As a matter of fact, the relations between the Consolidated and their employes were entirely pleasant, and nothing was more remote than the prospect of trouble between them. The meeting was simply for the purpose of becoming acquainted with each other and ascertaining whether or not it was the general opinion that a system of federation would best cement the present cordial relations between employers and employed, and promote the best interests of all concerned.

Rev. Dr. Pullman told the men that the time was coming when there would be no such thing as strikes, but employers and employes would be organized into a common brotherhood.

Church and Labor.

P. H. Morrissey of Galesburg, Ills., first vice president of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, touched on the question of the relations between the church and the organizations, and said that it was the duty of the latter to be closely in touch with the church. The organizations themselves would much prefer to hold their meetings on week days, but owing to the nature of their employment Sunday was the only day on which they could meet. The organizations took pride in the fact that no infidel or agnostic could become a member.

Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen adjured the men to remain faithful to the obligations assumed by them on entering their respective organizations, and to faithfully execute the trust reposed in them by their employers. He mentioned the fact that there are now 20,000 members of the Brotherhood of Firemen and over 675,000 members of the different railway organizations, comprising the grandest industrial army in the world.

A united organization, composed of conductors, telegraphers and every department of the road, was formed.

A letter of regret was read from Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers, who was unable to be present.

Message From the Deep.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 23.—Edward L. Bryan picked up a corked bottle on the beach yesterday, inside of which was a slip of paper with the following inscription: On board S. H. Walker, Jan. 21. Vessel leaking and think she will sink before morning. Inform S. H. Walker, Taunton, Mass. Nickerson, master. There is an American schooner named Samuel H. Walker, hailing from Taunton. Her owner is Samuel H. Walker.

Washout Caused a Disaster.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 23.—A work train on the Grand Trunk road, from Island Pond, Vt., ran into a washout near Wenlock station, killing a brakeman and badly injuring several workmen. The engine and several cars rushed headlong into the river. The engine was wrecked. Washouts are reported on the Maine Central near West Stewartstown and on the Grand Trunk between North Stratford and Beattie.

Next!

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A plan for the creation of an elect body of 25 persons, distinguished in literature and science, the fine arts and invention, has been submitted to the house by Representative Black. The purpose of the bill is to create an organization in this country similar to the "Immortals" of France and to the National Academy of Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Two Bombs For a Mayor.

PARIS, April 23.—Two bombs exploded yesterday just outside the mayor's house in Liege. The Royal theater, which is but a few yards from the house, was slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Many persons suspected of having set the bombs were arrested.

Where Revolutionists Get Coin.

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Herald's Montevideo dispatch says: The ex-minister of foreign affairs of Uruguay declares that the River Plata committee for the Brazilian revolution received $600,000 from European Brazilians for the revolutionary cause.

Republican Leaguers Meet.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A conference of the members of the executive committee of the National Republican league begins today. It is to make necessary preliminary arrangements for the convention of the league and consult with members of the Republican national committee and the Republican congressional committee.

An Unhappy Woman.

BOSTON, April 23.—An unknown woman, about 24 years of age, attempted suicide by jumping off Craigies bridge into the Charles river last night. When rescued the woman was unconscious, but recovered her senses some time after. She refused to divulge her name or to give a cause for attempting to take her life.

No Change in Figures.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—President McBride of the United Mine Workers states that his revised estimate show that more men have struck in the competitive district and fewer in the outlying district than anticipated, but the total number of men out remains about the same as given Saturday, 125,000.

St. Peter's Crowded With Pilgrims.

ROME, April 23.—Eighty-five hundred Spanish pilgrims were present yesterday in St. Peter's at further services held in connection with the beatification of Juan d'Avila Diemo. The ceremonies were marked with all the pomp that attended the beatification services last week.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

E. G. Parker, 23 East Merrimack street, has made a tremendous drop in price of coal.

The buildings of the Country club at Tyngs' Island have been placed in fine shape by workmen.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Workmen were at work all day yesterday putting in curbstone for the platform on the westerly side of the Northern depot.

By a collision the pony cart of Dr. Plunkett's son was badly damaged in front of the post office late yesterday afternoon.

The entertainment of the Ladies' Sewing circle of St. Patrick's church will take place in Huntington hall tomorrow evening.

A delegation of the Boston Union Veterans union will visit Lowell Friday night, to attend the meeting of the body in this city.

The log boom on the upper river has been put out again. It will take an act of congress, it is said, to get the boom removed.

The book of rules and regulations of the Second High School Regiment has been issued and are in the hands of our high school cadets.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a sitting made.

The tournament at the Vesper club is nearly over. The finish of the schedule shows one team in first position and four teams tied for second place.

Daniel Murphy and Florence Murphy of this city are members of the Mt. St. Mary's college base ball nine. The former is the regular catcher for the team and the latter is playing in right field.

Capt. Bachelder of the Daniel Gage has put in a new Herreshoff boiler of a square pattern. It is a quick steam making boiler. He will have plenty of power to push his big boat through the water this season.

Posters calling attention to the democratic caucuses for the choice of ward delegations of the city committee are out. Candidates should see that their names are sent to proper officers for placing on the ballots.

The coming season will be the liveliest in the history of the Vesper club, according to the fine schedule of events printed in Saturday's SUN. The ladies' night will be an enjoyable affair, made so by the presence of an orchestra for dancing.

Several new members were admitted to the Young Men's Catholic Literary society yesterday afternoon. Two lists of candidates for the various offices headed by John J. Cody and Thomas Pendergast, candidates for president, were submitted. The election will take place next Sunday.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the League Clubs Up to Date.

At Brooklyn—Boston, 8; Brooklyn, 0.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; New York, 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Washington, 3.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Chicago, 0.
At Louisville—Cleveland, 5; Louisville, 1.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 2.

Diamond Tips.

The home teams are getting the better of it so far, but the tide may turn after a while.

Washington is putting up pretty fast ball, while Baltimore is doing herself proud.

Every man on the Baltimore team began his career either as a pitcher or catcher.

Pittsburg is trying very hard to get Pitcher Breitenstein from St. Louis, and it is rumored that the deal will be consummated.

The first week ends with Baltimore in the lead and Boston and Cincinnati tied for second place.

Cincinnati rubbed it into Chicago, and Anson must be ruminating on coming events that cast their shadows before.

Mike Slattery has caught Worcester, and it is anticipated that when that team opens in Haverhill on Saturday next a great reception will be given both Connie Murphy and himself.

Boston will have a regular "sawed-off" outfield this season. Duffy, McCarthy and Bannon are all under medium size. They are only small in stature, for they are large and mighty in ability. If Bannon can keep up with the other two he will not be looking for a job next season. —Sporting Life.

Standing of the League.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Baltimore	3	0	St. Louis	1	1
Boston	2	0	Louisville	1	1
Cincinnati	2	0	Washington	1	2
Philadelphia	2	1	Brooklyn	0	2
Cleveland	1	1	Chicago	0	2
Pittsburg	1	1	New York	0	3

An Agitator Murdered.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—Patrick O'Brien, who came here with other agitators, was killed yesterday at Turkey Ridge. He had finished an address to the mine workers, composed mostly of negroes and foreigners, in which he urged them to throw down their picks. A foreigner named Hansent addressed his countrymen. "This man," he said, "would deprive your families of bread when there is nothing to be gained by striking." The lie was passed, and Hansent plunged a knife into O'Brien's body repeatedly, killing him almost instantly. The murderer then fled.

Cheers For Kelley's Men.

NEOLA, Ia., April 23.—Kelley's industrial army made their first day's march from Council Bluffs here, and went into camp in a grove just east of the town. The entry into Neola was a triumphant march, and cheers were lusty as the 1800 men tramped down the town's main street to the more or less musical strains of two country bands. Stores and vacant buildings were thrown wide open, and the weary men were offered all available shelter.

Louis Alexander,

formerly of Fifth avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 63 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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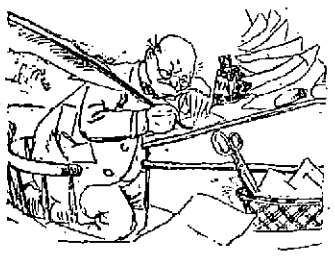

THE SUN HAS HEARD

That the Moody street bridge is not going through this year.

That the republican aldermen evidently know what they are there for.

That they will soon be wondering where they are at.

That business is improving.

That a half-baked democrat on the license commission will not do.

That a bright, energetic democrat can distinguish himself as chairman of the next democratic city committee.

That Councilman Benson has no fears as to the out-come of the representative fight in Ward six.

That the Locks and Canals corporation had better agree to the extension of Aiken street before asking for the Moody street bridge.

That Moses T. Stevens is going to run for congress next November.

That Postmaster Pearson is destined to distinguish himself in his new office.

That Mayor Pickman is likely to appear before a republican convention next fall to thank his friends for the nomination, and to assure them that the honor was entirely unexpected.

That THE SUN prints the news, the whole news, and no fakes.

That some of our local bicyclists are totally indifferent to the rights of pedestrians on street crossings.

That Councilman Curtin will show the members of next year's council, how President Sparks should have performed his duty.

That one of the candidates for the democratic appointment on the coming license commission, is depending upon a promise of treachery to the democratic party for his success.

That Gov. Greenhalge will be fair enough to consult the wishes of the democratic party, and not the republican party in Lowell, when he selects the democratic member of that commission.

That it would be a political outrage to allow the republican party to dictate the three appointments.

That license will not come so high under a commission.

That the commission may not have an opportunity to grant licenses for two or three years.

That pulling other people's chestnuts out of the fire is poor business.

That Lowell is going to vote for no license by a large majority unless the sentiment changes very soon.

That there is nothing on this earth to equal the supreme gall of a republican alderman.

That Postmaster Burbank will take the congressional nomination if he can get it. That he thinks he can.

That the friends of Knox will give him some hard knocks if he runs their favorite candidate off the switchboard.

That there is no joke in the foregoing for Burbank.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Lawbreakers at Tiverton Receive an Unexpected Visit From Officers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 23.—The sheriff of Newport county with a squad of deputies and police officers from Newport dropped in upon North Tiverton, R. I., just over the state line yesterday morning and captured 48 barrels of beer and three dealers. The deputies were armed with rifles and there was no attempt at resistance.

A week ago yesterday Tiverton was without police protection, the constables not having been sworn in, and a mob of some 2000 gathered. Ring fights and dog and cock fights were to be found every few yards, and there were many scenes of violence throughout the day. In anticipation of another such day of mob rule the people of the town asked for aid from state officers. Squads of police were sent down yesterday from the different stations here to preserve order on this side of the line. A crowd gathered, but the fear of arrest and of summary punishment prevented any repetition of previous lawless proceedings.

A Boston Church Dedicated.

BOSTON, April 23.—With imposing pomp and ceremony St. Cecilia's church in the Back Bay was dedicated yesterday. Archbishop Williams was assisted by Vicar General Byrne and Rev. E. J. Devett. After the dedication services pontifical high mass was celebrated by Archbishop Satolli, who was assisted by three clergymen. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a picked choir from the various churches in the diocese. Rev. P. A. Halpin of New York preached the sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Satolli celebrated pontifical high vespers.

Drunk or Crazy?

AMHERST, Mass., April 23.—Miss Florence Geer, aged 18, daughter of Mrs. Mallory, was terribly frightened by a young man who appeared at the door of the Mallory residence entirely naked. Miss Geer was alone. The man asked permission to enter, but attempted no violence. When the girl ran from the house in search of her parents he suddenly disappeared. It is supposed that he was drunk or demented.

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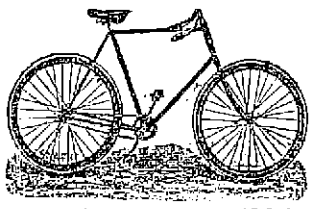

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Goods called for and delivered without extra charge. Send Orders by Postal.

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The most economical, most durable, and most easily managed Heater on the market. They are giving excellent satisfaction in many Lowell residences. We are sole agents for Lowell and vicinity, and would be glad to furnish any particulars regarding it

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LOWELL

Trunk Manufactory

Joe Off, the comedian, sings "Only One," and P. Devine, the Trunk Man, takes up the refrain and sings "Only One Trunk Manufacturer in Town." Others try to bluff the public, but when you want a Trunk get it at Devine's, in the wooden building, 70-72 Middlesex Street. Everything in Leather and Canvas Goods to be found in a Modern Trunk Store. Prices Cheapest in Town.

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An Epidemic of Price-Cutting Throughout our Mammoth Store.

A BIG SPECIAL SALE OF

Dress Fabrics and Baby Carriages

To be inaugurated today and continued throughout the week. "Prices terribly slashed." The public thoroughly appreciate the advantage which our tremendous stocks offer. We emphatically quote the lowest prices ever named on staple, reliable merchandise. Let us detail. It's Dress goods enthusiasm.

DOWN TO 59c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Novelty Dress Fabrics, in checks and Mixtures, that formerly sold at 75c. and 87c. per yard.

DOWN TO 69c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Scotch Cheviots, in pin head and splash checks, that have been retailing at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
50 pieces of 46 in. German Henrietta, in all the new shades, any of which is excellent value at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
A mammoth stock of Broadcloths, 54 in. wide, suitable for capes and gowns, in shades of brown, blue, gray, green and black, which cannot be matched elsewhere less than $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 98c. PER YARD.
The balance of our stock of 54 in. French Novelties, Imported for this season's trade, all new, choice colors and weaves, sold to date at $1.25 to $1.50 per yard.

These prices are for this sale. This Week Only.

Wash Goods Corner.

Every new conceit in Wash Goods you will find here, and find a greater variety, as well as better prices.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
Three cases Printed Irish lawns, warranted fast colors.

AT 17c. PER YARD.
Two cases of printed Dimity, in choice styles and excellent quality.

AT 33c. PER YARD.
A beautiful assortment of Imported Dimity Cloths in pink, yellow, blue, cream and black.

AT 15c. PER YARD.
A special lot of Plain Lawns, spotted and figured Muslins.

AT 6½c. PER YARD.
100 pieces of check and striped Nainsook, a regular 10c. quality.

AT 8c. PER YARD.
Two cases of Chambray Ginghams, a regular 12½c. quality.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
An elegant assortment of Lama Challies, retailed everywhere at 17c.

AT 19c. PER YARD.
One case of Bandenberg Cloths, 32 in. wide, superfine quality;

AT 29c. PER YARD.
Three cases of imported Sateens, in very fine quality, grounds strewn with small figures, all new designs and choice assortment of colors.

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At cut prices this week. There is one headquarters in Lowell for Baby Carriages, that is our store. Every style, every quality, every color made, including Wakefield Carriages. "No such assortment is shown by all our competitors combined." Our unprecedented success in this business has been the source of much surprise to all who have watched its remarkable growth. Goods of standard qualities, the best at lowest prices, is unquestionably the reason of our advancement.

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THE ENTIRE WEEK, $1.50 EACH,

STIFF HATS,

In shades of Mode, Brown, Tan and Black. Elegant goods; not sold in Lowell less than $2. Some get $2.50 for them. To give everybody a chance to have one, we will be open till noon Thursday and till 10.30 p. m. Saturday. Don't miss this chance.

Look at Our 50c. Hats. Our $1.00 Stiff Hats are warranted perfect, being made for us, if they turn out otherwise a new one can be had for the asking.

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Haxall Flour, $4.50 per bbl. Every barrel warranted.

Bag Haxall Flour 60c. per bag.

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 26, 27, and 28. Fifth Annual Tour of GEO. H. TIMMONS in his successes, the Great Irish Comedy-Drama,

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Strong Company, Magnificent scenery, Elegant Costumes, Pleasing Specialty. An entirely new production at Popular Prices, 10, 20, and 30c.

BOSTON GLOBE.—"A play with plot and scene of picturesque Ireland, inside the boards at The Grand. It is the "Fairies' Well," by which Geo. H. Timmons is entering with a very strong support. The play is original in plot, full of bright Irish wit, is clean and entertaining. Mr. Timmons is a handsome young actor with a taking manner and fine carriage.

LESTER'S

Fifth Annual Reception and Exhibition

—AT—

HUNTINGTON - HALL,

Wednesday Evening, April 25th.

Among the exhibition numbers will be the Serpentine Skirt dance, Dance of the Three Graces, or Cloak Dance, and a dance of All Nations, by little Miss May of Worcester. A Fan Dance by Three Misses, Court Dance by eight little children from five to seven years of age. The Majestic Polonaise and Minuet Quadrille, by the whole class in costume.

CHILDREN'S DANCING

From 7.30 to 9.30, and all exhibition numbers will be after 8.30, so that all may have an opportunity to see them.

General Dancing from 9.30 to 1.

Light refreshments will be served.

Music by Hibbard's Orchestra.

All present and past pupils and friends are invited.

Tickets for General Dancing may be had of pupils or Mr. Lester.

Only Admission Tickets will be on sale at the door.

A discussion which took place the other evening among a number of old smokers was as to the merits of the best Cigar and the honors really came to

Curfew 10c. Cigar.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, APRIL 23.

SUN RISES..... 4 51 | MOON RISES 11 44 PM
SUN SETS..... 6 35 | FULL SEA | 2 00 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..13 44 | FULL SEA | 2 30 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Local showers, variable winds; slightly cooler in Vermont.

For Massachusetts: Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in western portion.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; westerly winds.

NO SENTIMENT.

There is no sentiment in trade. People buy where they can get the most for their money. Compare each edition of THE SUN with any paper in the city issued at the same hour, and see which gives you the most for your money.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner-Cigar.

Girard B. Dadman may be nominated for registrar of voters.

Peter A. Fay, Esq., will be a candidate for chairman of the democratic city committee.

The Andover conference in the Kirk Street church tomorrow will call together over 500 delegates.

Councilman P. J. O'Brien of Ward One will be brought forward by his friends as a representative candidate next fall.

Arthur C. Benner, John B. Coleman and Fred McMonagle are the latest candidates for the truant commissionership.

Ex-Councilman W. H. Stafford's name is mentioned in connection with the representative contest in Ward Three.

Don't forget to call and see the line of ice chests and refrigerators displayed at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

The regular meeting of the school board will be held next Monday night, and not tonight as stated by some of the papers.

The Columbia Whist club met with Mrs. Batchelder of Hartings street, Saturday evening, and the first prize was awarded to Mrs. H. G. Cushing.

Among the candidates mentioned for the position of truant commissioner is Michael J. Manning, president of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

Bicycle menders report increased business since Patriots' day. Many cycles came out rather the worse for wear by reason of the riders' enthusiasm and a trip to old Concord.

Arbor day is to be observed by the Village Improvement association of Chelmsford Centre next Saturday. After the work upon the streets and public grounds dinner will be served.

William Lyons the popular employe of the Kitson's Machine shop at the request of many of his friends has consented to stand as a candidate for the democratic city committee from Ward one.

The new Congregational church in North Chelmsford, Rev. Mr. Briant pastor, is to be dedicated next Thursday. The new structure takes the place of the church destroyed by fire in January of last year.

Now that the novelty of the first and only fender equipped electric car has worn off, people are led to inquire what good it would be as a protective prefix while being carried from 12 to 18 inches above the car rails.

Mr. William Benson the well known actor, is visiting at his home in this city. Mr. Benson previous to securing a permanent engagement was a well known amateur actor, having been, for many years, connected with the Lowell Reform club dramatic society.

Some people think, judging from appearances, that it would be nearly as cheap to rebuild the ex-corporation house, corner of Paige and Bridge streets, than to alter it over for store purposes. A new front and new floor timbers seem to be coming pretty near the first principles in building.

The Veteran Firemen.

The new tournament rules of the N. E. Veteran Firemen's league as presented by the committee for consideration at the May meeting, provide for only a few changes from the old code, as follows:

Rubber hose must be used hereafter. None but bona fide members can work on engines or march in the parade. No baggage or luggage wagons of any sort will be allowed in the parade.

Otherwise the rules are the same, including the pipe chain attachments and curved line of hose. The rules have been subdivided and number 30 in all.

The muster season will open this year much earlier than usual. The first muster will be held at Peabody, Tuesday, June 5, under the same management as last year, with the same rules, including the straight line of hose with the overlap abatements.

SEEN AND HEARD.

Rep. Daniel Murphy is mentioned as a candidate for congress——on the socialist ticket.

How it came about was as follows: "Billy" Meade while in Boston on business the other day met P. F. O'Neil, last year's candidate for governor on the socialist ticket. To Billy he explained the workings of the party together with its strength and asked his opinion of the best man to run for congress on the ticket from this district. Billy immediately thought of Rep. Dan Murphy as the man and Mr. O'Neil agreed that Dan would fill the bill, so therefore Dan was made the candidate.

But the candidate himself had something to say in the matter and when approached by a SUN reporter, he said: "I decline with thanks the candidacy. . At present my two legs are the same length and I wish to keep them that way," and Dan walked away murmuring something about that quality which some people possess which tends to keep flies away from them.

The office is seeking the man and here is a good chance for some ambitious politician.

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The Friday evening closing movement is between hay and grass, apparently. A. G. Pollard & Co., still continue to close and are in favor of making it a permanent thing, except around holidays, when extra time is needed to serve customers. Last week many stores opened. One of the fancy goods stores did not take in in sales (not profit) enough to pay the cost of electric lights. People trade Saturday afternoons, and as a rule they have gotten out of coming down town Friday nights.

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Engineer Hart of the pumping station told me a few days ago that new big $90,000 beauty, the Worthington high pressure engine, is only run occasionally, as the driven wells system has robbed it of its work. He starts up the big machine to keep the parts in good order and to prevent corrosion setting in.

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The parents of many pupils in the High school complain bitterly that they are obliged to purchase new gowns for their daughters, if the latter are to appear in the calisthenic drill on the annual exhibition day. It appears that the instructress decides what shall be worn and what shall not.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

LABOR FEDERATION.

EMPLOYES OF THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD UNITED.

They Are Not Organized for Trouble But for Mutual Protection.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 23.—Three hundred of the employes of the Consolidated Railroad company met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming a federation to be made up of the six labor organizations into which the employes are divided. The meeting was purely in the interests of employes of the Consolidated, although there were quite a number of guests from lodges in other parts of the country.

The organizations represented were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, Order of Railroad Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Order of Railroad Telegraphers and Switchmen's Mutual Aid association. The question of forming a system of federation was fully discussed, and a big majority were in favor of the proposition. A committee made up of one member from each of the organizations was appointed to visit every lodge throughout the system and report at a further meeting.

An Open Meeting.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a public meeting was held in the Grand Opera house. C. A. Wilkins of Chicago, assistant grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, said that the meeting did not necessarily mean that the men were planning a disturbance. As a matter of fact, the relations between the Consolidated and their employes were entirely pleasant, and nothing was more remote than the prospect of trouble between them. The meeting was simply for the purpose of becoming acquainted with each other and ascertaining whether or not it was the general opinion that a system of federation would best cement the present cordial relations between employers and employed, and promote the best interests of all concerned.

Rev. Dr. Pullman told the men that the time was coming when there would be no such thing as strikes, but employers and employes would be organized into a common brotherhood.

Church and Labor.

P. H. Morrissey of Galesburg, Ills., first vice president of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, touched on the question of the relations between the church and the organizations, and said that it was the duty of the latter to be closely in touch with the church. The organizations themselves would much prefer to hold their meetings on week days, but owing to the nature of their employment Sunday was the only day on which they could meet. The organizations took pride in the fact that no infidel or agnostic could become a member.

Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen adjured the men to remain faithful to the obligations assumed by them on entering their respective organizations, and to faithfully execute the trust reposed in them by their employers. He mentioned the fact that there are now 29,000 members of the Brotherhood of Firemen and over 675,000 members of the different railway organizations, comprising the grandest industrial army in the world.

A united organization, composed of conductors, telegraphers and every department of the road, was formed.

A letter of regret was read from Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers, who was unable to be present.

Message From the Deep.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 23.—Edward L. Bryan picked up a corked bottle on the beach yesterday, inside of which was a slip of paper with the following inscription: On board S. H. Walker, Jan. 21. Vessel leaking and think she will sink before morning. Inform S. H. Walker, Taunton, Mass. Nickerson, master. There is an American schooner named Samuel H. Walker, hailing from Taunton. Her owner is Samuel H. Walker.

Washout Caused a Disaster.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 23.—A work train on the Grand Trunk road, from Island Pond, Vt., ran into a washout near Wenlock station, killing a brakeman and badly injuring several workmen. The engine and several cars rushed headlong into the river. The engine was wrecked. Washouts are reported on the Maine Central near West Stewartstown and on the Grand Trunk between North Stratford and Beattie.

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WASHINGTON, April 23.—A plan for the creation of an elect body of 25 persons, distinguished in literature and science, the fine arts and invention, has been submitted to the house by Representative Black. The purpose of the bill is to create an organization in this country similar to the "Immortals" of France and to the National Academy of Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Two Bombs For a Mayor.

PARIS, April 23.—Two bombs exploded yesterday just outside the mayor's house in Liege. The Royal theater, which is but a few yards from the house, was slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Many persons suspected of having set the bombs were arrested.

Where Revolutionists Got Coin.

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Herald's Montevideo dispatch says: The ex-minister of foreign affairs of Uruguay declares that the River Plata committee for the Brazilian revolution received $600,000 from European Brazilians for the revolutionary cause.

Republican Leaguers Meet.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A conference of the members of the executive committee of the National Republican league begins today. It is to make necessary preliminary arrangements for the convention of the league and consult with members of the Republican national committee and the Republican congressional committee.

An Unhappy Woman

BOSTON, April 23.—An unknown woman, about 24 years of age, attempted suicide by jumping off Craigie bridge into the Charles river last night. When rescued the woman was unconscious, but recovered her senses some time after. She refused to divulge her name or to give a cause for attempting to take her life.

No Change In Figures.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—President McBride of the United Mine Workers states that his revised estimate show that more men have struck in the competitive district and fewer in the outlying district than anticipated, but the total number of men out remains about the same as given Saturday, 125,000.

St. Peter's Crowded With Pilgrims.

ROME, April 23.—Eighty-five hundred Spanish pilgrims were present yesterday in St. Peter's at further services held in connection with the beatification of Juan d'Arvila Diemo. The ceremonies were marked with all the pomp that attended the beatification services last week.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

E. G. Parker, 23 East Merrimack street, has made a tremendous drop in price of coal.

The buildings of the Country club at Tyngs' Island have been placed in fine shape by workmen.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Workmen were at work all day yesterday putting in curbstone for the platform on the westerly side of the Northern depot.

By a collision the pony cart of Dr. Plunkett's son was badly damaged in front of the post office late yesterday afternoon.

The entertainment of the Ladies' Sewing circle of St. Patrick's church will take place in Huntington hall tomorrow evening.

A delegation of the Boston Union Veterans union will visit Lowell Friday night, to attend the meeting of the body in this city.

The log boom on the upper river has been put out again. It will take an act of congress, it is said, to get the boom removed.

The book of rules and regulations of the Second High School Regiment has been issued and are in the hands of our high school cadets.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The tournament at the Vesper club is nearly over. The finish of the schedule shows one team in first position and four teams tied for second place.

Daniel Murphy and Florence Murphy of this city are members of the Mt. St. Mary's college base ball nine. The former is the regular catcher for the team and the latter is playing in right field.

Capt. Bachelder of the Daniel Gage has put in a new Herreshoff boiler of a square pattern. It is a quick steam making boiler. He will have plenty of power to push his big boat through the water this season.

Posters calling attention to the democratic caucuses for the choice of ward delegations of the city committee are out. Candidates should see that their names are sent to proper officers for placing on the ballots.

The coming season will be the liveliest in the history of the Vesper club, according to the fine schedule of events printed in Saturday's SUN. The ladies' night will be an enjoyable affair, made so by the presence of an orchestra for dancing.

Several new members were admitted to the Young Men's Catholic Literary society yesterday afternoon. Two lists of candidates for the various offices headed by John J. Cody and Thomas Pendergast, candidates for president, were submitted. The election will take place next Sunday.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the League Clubs Up to Date.

At Brooklyn—Boston, 3; Brooklyn, 0.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; New York, 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Washington, 2.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Chicago, 0.
At Louisville—Cleveland, 5; Louisville, 1.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 2.

Diamond Tips.

The home teams are getting the better of it so far, but the tide may turn after a while.

Washington is putting up pretty fast ball, while Baltimore is doing herself proud.

Every man on the Baltimore team began his career either as a pitcher or catcher.

Pittsburg is trying very hard to get Pitcher Breitenstein from St. Louis, and it is rumored that the deal will be consummated.

The first week ends with Baltimore in the lead and Boston and Cincinnati tied for second place.

Cincinnati rubbed it into Chicago, and Anson must be ruminating on coming events that cast their shadows before.

Mike Slattery has caught Worcester, and it is anticipated that when that team opens in Haverhill on Saturday next a great reception will be given both Connie Murphy and himself.

Boston will have a regular "sawed-off" outfield this season. Duffy, McCarthy and Bannon are all under medium size. They are only small in stature, for they are large and mighty in ability. If Bannon can keep up with the other two he will not be looking for a job next season.—Sporting Life.

Standing of the League.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Baltimore	3	0	St. Louis	1	1
Boston	2	0	Louisville	1	1
Cincinnati	2	0	Washington	1	2
Philadelphia	2	1	Brooklyn	0	2
Cleveland	1	1	Chicago	0	2
Pittsburg	1	1	New York	0	3

An Agitator Murdered.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—Patrick O'Brien, who came here with other agitators, was killed yesterday at Turkey Ridge. He had finished an address to the mine workers, composed mostly of negroes and foreigners, in which he urged them to throw down their picks. A foreigner named Hanseni addressed his countrymen. "This man," he said, "would deprive your families of bread when there is nothing to be gained by striking." The lie was passed, and Hanseni plunged a knife into O'Brien's body repeatedly, killing him almost instantly. The murderer then fled.

Cheers For Kelley's Men.

NEOLA, Ia., April 23.—Kelley's industrial army made their first day's march from Council Bluffs here, and went into camp in a grove just east of the town. The entry into Neola was a triumphant march, and cheers were lusty as the 1890 men tramped down the town's main street to the more or less musical strains of two country bands. Stores and vacant buildings were thrown wide open, and the weary men were offered all available shelter.

Louis Alexander,

formerly of Fifth-avenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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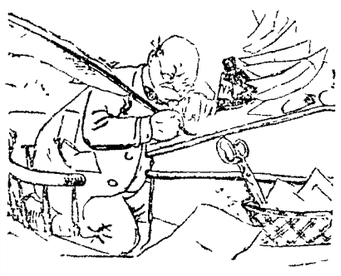

THE SUN HAS HEARD

That the Moody street bridge is not going through this year.

That the republican aldermen evidently know what they are there for.

That they will soon be wondering where they are at.

That business is improving.

That a half-baked democrat on the license commission will not do.

That a bright, energetic democrat can distinguish himself as chairman of the next democratic city committee.

That Councilman Benson has no fears as to the out-come of the representative fight in Ward six.

That the Locks and Canals corporation had better agree to the extension of Aiken street before asking for the Moody street bridge.

That Moses T. Stevens is going to run for congress next November.

That Postmaster Pearson is destined to distinguish himself in his new office.

That Mayor Pickman is likely to appear before a republican convention next fall to thank his friends for the nomination, and to assure them that the honor was entirely unexpected.

That THE SUN prints the news, the whole news, and no fakes.

That some of our local bicyclists are totally indifferent to the rights of pedestrians on street crossings.

That Councilman Curtin will show the members of next year's council, how President Sparks should have performed his duty.

That one of the candidates for the democratic appointment on the coming license commission, is depending upon a promise of treachery to the democratic party for his success.

That Gov. Greenhalge will be fair enough to consult the wishes of the democratic party, and not the republican party in Lowell, when he selects the democratic member of that commission.

That it would be a political outrage to allow the republican party to dictate the three appointments.

That license will not come so high under a commission.

That the commission may not have an opportunity to grant licenses for two or three years.

That pulling other people's chestnuts out of the fire is poor business.

That Lowell is going to vote for no license by a large majority unless the sentiment changes very soon.

That there is nothing on this earth to equal the supreme gall of a republican alderman.

That Postmaster Burbank will take the congressional nomination if he can get it.

That he thinks he can.

That the friends of Knox will give him some hard knocks if he runs their favorite candidate off the switchboard.

That there is no joke in the foregoing for Burbank.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Lawbreakers at Tiverton Receive an Unexpected Visit From Officers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 23.—The sheriff of Newport county with a squad of deputies and police officers from Newport dropped in upon North Tiverton, R. I., just over the state line yesterday morning and captured 43 barrels of beer and three dealers. The deputies were armed with rifles and there was no attempt at resistance.

A week ago yesterday Tiverton was without police protection, the constables not having been sworn in, and a mob of some 2000 gathered. Ring fights and dog and cock fights were to be found every few yards, and there were many scenes of violence throughout the day. In anticipation of another such day of mob rule the people of the town asked for aid from state officers. Squads of police were sent down yesterday from the different stations here to preserve order on this side of the line. A crowd gathered, but the fear of arrest and of summary punishment prevented any repetition of previous lawless proceedings.

A Boston Church Dedicated.

BOSTON, April 23.—With imposing pomp and ceremony St. Cecilia's church in the Back Bay was dedicated yesterday. Archbishop Williams was assisted by Vicar General Byrne and Rev. E. J. Devett. After the dedication services pontifical high mass was celebrated by Archbishop Satolli, who was assisted by three clergymen. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a picked choir from the various churches in the diocese. Rev. P. A. Halpin of New York preached the sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Satolli celebrated pontifical high vespers.

Drunk or Crazy?

AMHERST, Mass., April 23.—Miss Florence Geer, aged 18, daughter of Mrs. Mallory, was terribly frightened by a young man who appeared at the door of the Mallory residence entirely naked. Miss Geer was alone. The man asked permission to enter, but attempted no violence. When the girl ran from the house in search of her parents he suddenly disappeared. It is supposed that he was drunk or demented.

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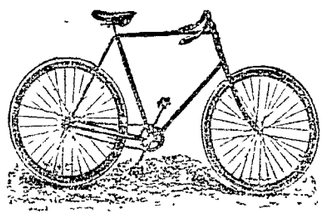

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To be inaugurated today and continued throughout the week. "Prices terribly slashed." The public thoroughly appreciate the advantage which our tremendous stocks offer. We emphatically quote the lowest prices ever named on staple, reliable merchandise. Let us detail. It's Dress goods enthusiasm.

DOWN TO 59c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Novelty Dress Fabrics, in checks and Mixtures, that formerly sold at 75c. and 87c. per yard.

DOWN TO 69c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Scotch Cheviots, in pin head and splash checks, that have been retailing at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
50 pieces of 46 in. German Henrietta, in all the new shades, any of which is excellent value at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
A mammoth stock of Broadcloths, 54 in. wide, suitable for capes and gowns, in shades of brown, blue, gray, green and black, which cannot be matched elsewhere less than $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 98c. PER YARD.
The balance of our stock of 54 in. French Novelties, Imported for this season's trade, all new, choice colors and weaves, sold to date at $1.25 to $1.50 per yard.

These prices are for this sale. This Week Only.

Wash Goods Corner.

Every new conceit in Wash Goods you will find here, and find a greater variety, as well as better prices.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
Three cases Printed Irish lawns, warranted fast colors.

AT 17c. PER YARD.
Two cases of printed Dimity, in choice styles and excellent quality.

AT 33c. PER YARD.
A beautiful assortment of Imported Dimity Cloths in pink, yellow, blue, cream and black.

AT 15c. PER YARD.
A special lot of Plain Lawns, spotted and figured Muslins.

AT 6½c. PER YARD.
100 pieces of check and striped Nainsook, a regular 10c. quality.

AT 8c. PER YARD.
Two cases of Chambray Ginghams, a regular 12½c. quality.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
An elegant assortment of Lama Challies, retailed everywhere at 17c.

AT 19c. PER YARD.
One case of Bandenberg Cloths, 32 in. wide, superfine quality;

AT 29c. PER YARD.
Three cases of imported Sateens, in very fine quality, grounds strewn with small figures, all new designs and choice assortment of colors.

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 26, 27, and 28. Fifth Annual Tour of
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Strong Company. Magnificent scenery. Elegant Costumes. Pleasing Specialty. An entirely new production at Popular Prices, 10, 20, and 30c.
BOSTON GLOBE—"A play with plot and scene of picturesque Ireland, holds the boards at The Grand. It is the "Fairies' Well," in which Geo. H. Timmons is starring with a very strong support. The play is original in plot, full of bright Irish wit, is clean and entertaining. Mr. Timmons is a handsome young actor with a taking manner and fine carriage.

LESTER'S
Fifth Annual Reception and Exhibition
—AT—
HUNTINGTON - HALL,
Wednesday Evening, April 25th.

Among the exhibition numbers will be the Serpentine Skirt dance, Dance of the Three Graces, or Cloak Dance, and a dance of All Nations, by little Miss May of Worcester. A Fan Dance by Three Misses. Court Dance by eight little children from five to seven years of age. The Majestic Polonaise and Minuet Quadrille, by the whole class of 60 young.

CHILDREN'S DANCING

From 7 to 9 o'clock Hall exhibition numbers will be given. 50 children may have an opportunity to see them.

General Dancing from 9.30 to 1.

Light refreshments will be served.

Music by Hibbard's Orchestra.

All present and past pupils and friends are invited.

Tickets for General Dancing may be had of pupils or Mr. Lester.

Only Admission Tickets will be on sale at the door.

A discussion which took place the other evening among a number of old smokers was as to the merits of the best Cigar and the honors easily came to

Curfew 10c. Cigar.

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☞THE SUN is the only penny paper in Lowell receiving cable and telegraphic despatches. Most of the news items in this issue can be found in the other local papers tomorrow, if you are willing to wait till then.

NO JOKING MATTER.

MAYOR PICKMAN HAS THE WHOLE BATCH OF LICENSES.

Not One Signed Yet or Returned to the City Clerk—What Are the Reasons for Delay?

Mayor Pickman has the entire batch of licenses in his desk for consideration.

Up till this afternoon not a license had been returned the city clerk's office with the mayor's signature.

What is the hitch? is the question which many lucky applicants is pondering.

A LIGHT DOCKET.

JUDGE HADLEY CLOSED UP CRIMINAL BUSINESS EARLY.

John Carnan Who Scared Inspector Donaldson Sent to Jail for a Vacation—Several Other Sentences Imposed.

The grist today was light for Monday, there being but 10 drunks on the list, seven week day and three Sunday drunks.

Ellen Brunelle, who has had her husband in court more than once for non-support, was in herself this morning for drunkenness. She pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to the workhouse for 6 months.

John Carnan pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness. Carnan is the man who pointed a loaded shot gun at Inspector Donaldson. The latter testified that he and Inspector Goodwin went to the house on Agawam street with a search warant. He rapped on a door and the defendant opened it and pointed a shot gun at him telling him to get out or he would shoot him. It appears that Carnan had been beating his wife and was waiting for Officer Ryder to come to arrest him. He was sent to jail for three months.

Marie Marrier who is a terrible physical condition due to excessive drinking was found guilty of drunkenness and was sentenced to the state farm at Bridgewater for eight months.

Mary Sullivan was sentenced to the work house for six months.

John Powers got 10 months at the same institution.

Ann Coggins was sent up for four months.

John Smith will sojourn at the state farm at Bridgewater. Smith wanted to be let off, as he was sick. The court when imposing the sentence said: "If you are sick that is the best place for you; there is a fine hospital, and plenty of fresh air and good food. You will enjoy yourself there."

The case of Hugh Callahan charged with assault was tried this morning.

Mary Brunelle pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness and was sent to Sherburn for 15 months.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

Rev. Dr. Greene conducted services yesterday over the remains of Miles W. Stott at his parents' home, 162 Smith street. Burial was in the Edson cemetery.

The funeral of Howard W. Parker took place yesterday afternoon from his parents' home, on the Lawrence Road, Dracut, services being conducted by Rev. F. M. Lamb. Interment was in the family lot in the Varnum cemetery.

The funeral of James Harrington occurred this afternoon from his parents' home on Front street and was largely attended. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Johannah McDermott took place yesterday afternoon from her late home on Lawrence street and was well attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where services were conducted by Rev. Fr. McManus. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late Patrick Tully, a well known and esteemed resident of this city, occurred yesterday afternoon from his residence on Westford street, and was attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends. The funeral cortege proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the last rites were performed by Rev. D. J. Gleason of St. Patrick's church. The bearers were George Kivlin, Richard Daly, Sr., and Patrick Daly of Boston, Bernard and Patrick Clancy of Nashua, J. McCue, John Shanley and Patrick Shanley of Lowell. John E. and George F. Daley of Boston officiated as ushers. The interment was in charge of J. F. O'Donnell. Among the out of town people who attended the funeral were Richard Daly, Sr., Richard Daly, Jr., John, Thomas, George, Patrick, Rose, Derina and Ellen Daly, Mrs. Barrett, Dr. Collier, George Kivlin and Kivlin, of Boston; Bernard Glaney, Patrick Glaney, Thomas Keeley and brother, of Nashua; Mrs. Shea, Mrs. Delay, Mrs. Foley, Miss Frances Marks, Daniel and James Boyle, of Fitchburg.

The funeral of Charles H. Burbank occurred from St. John's church this afternoon. The choir sang appropriate selections and Rev. L. C. Manchester, the rector, read the service. The bearers were Messrs. Z. E. Stone, F. P. Putnam, C. Henry Bradt, Marcella Greenwood, Col. Francis and F. K. Stearns. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

Marriage Intentions.

The following intentions were recorded at the city clerk's office today:

Arthur Gibson 28, Boston, to Grace Hilton 21.
Arthur N. Brown 25, Nashua, to Grace E. Hill 19.

James F. O'Donnell,

PRACTICAL UNDERTAKER,

Always on Time.

Market Street, Corner of Worthen.

FINNERTY

Chicago Irishman Speaks on Ireland's Glories.

FINE DISPLAY OF ELOQUENCE AND PATRIOTISM.

Big and Enthusiastic Meeting at Associate Hall.

Hon. John F. Finnerty of Chicago, paid another visit to our city yesterday, upon the invitation of the local Hibernian lodges, and in the evening, under their auspices, he lectured in Associate hall before an audience outnumbering that which greeted him on his previous visit.

"The song and story of Ireland," was his subject, and in treating it he was ably assisted by the eminent vocalist, Mr. M. J. Murphy, of Bay City, Michigan.

Mr. James O'Sullivan called the meeting to order, and after welcoming those present introduced Mr. John A. O'Hearn as chairman of the evening. Mr. O'Hearn's remarks were very complimentary to Mr. Finnerty, and he related several incidents in connection with the life of the ex-congressman, whose name is known to all Irishmen.

The lecturer was greeted with prolonged applause. His subject was divided into six parts, each relating to some particular period in Irish history. He reviewed the early history of Ireland dwelling upon Ireland's ancient glory.

He attributed the narration of much of Ireland's history to her enemies. The coming of St. Patrick, and the conversion of the country to christianity: the battles with the Danes were related in glowing language. In speaking of the battle of Clontarf, the lecturer uttered one sentence full of significance. He said: "There are many today who boast of their Anglo-Saxon blood, but at that day they did not present a very heroic attitude."

Art. McMurrough, from whom the speaker said, the Murphy's and Cavanaugh's are descended, received considerable attention, for his effort to wipe out the whole English plantation, after the English had gained a foothold in that section of Leinster, known as "the pale." McMurrough succeeded in defeating Richard III, who landed in Waterford in 1395, with a large force.

His description of the "Wars of the Roses" was excellent. By quoting English history he showed that the "Wars of the Roses" surpassed the famous story of the Kilkenny cats. Irishmen contend for a principle; but when the Plantagenet homes of York and Lancaster robbed, murdered, poisoned and assassinated their own kin, they fought to show that the great-grandfather of one was born a short while before the other.

The next portion of the lecture was devoted to the time of Queen Elizabeth and Hugh O'Neil, and during his description, the audience could scarcely restrain their feelings as the events were pictured to them.

Attention was given to the landing of Strongbow and the time of Henry II also to Henry VIII who when he saw that he was unable to secure a divorce left the Catholic religion and became a pope in England. He showed the tyrannical disposition of Queen Elizabeth and the way she was tricked by Hugh O'Neil with whose fine bearing and figure she was so overcome that he met treachery with treachery and stored up ammunition for big battles which came to the glory of Ireland.

Cromwell's ability as a statesman and warrior was recognized but the speaker said: "It is not as a soldier that Cromwell is hated in Ireland; it is for his cruelty and treachery. For his massacre of men, women and children." He denounced Cromwell as a coward, tyrant and blood-thirsty brute.

Reference to Sarsfield and William III permitted the speaker to correct many mistaken ideas of the circumstances leading up to the battle of the Boyne. The spirit of Irish-American Catholics today may be summed up as follows: "We take our religion from Home but not our politics."

The description of the battle of Fontenoy proved the oratorical treat of the evening. It was one grand climax, and when he pictured the 16,000 Irish exiles in the French army turning the tide of battle and rushing down on the English troops with cries of "Remember Limerick," and "Down with the Sassanach," the audience could no longer control itself and burst out into one grand roar of applause.

The seige of Limerick was next described, "the treaty broken ere the ink wherewith 'twas writ was dry," the exile of the Irish troops into France and their glorious career on European battlefields. The speaker next referred to the rebellions of 1798 and subsequent years, and showed how thousands of Irishmen, both Protestants and Catholics, had to seek refuge in America. And the Irish exiles, he said, afterwards fought gloriously against the old foe when the American colonies rebelled. After enumerating many instances in which Irishmen had rendered signal services to the American cause on land or sea, he said: And yet there are insignificant but vicious people today who say that the men who would be honored and trusted by Washington and Lincoln are disloyal to this country. A few renegades who lef here when we became independent and went down to New Brunswick to live under George of England, now come back to taunt us with disloyalty. (Prolonged applause.)

Then came the young Ireland party under Grattan, Emmet, O'Connell, Parnell and Gladstone. In conclusion the speaker said:

As long as the English flags floats above Ireland she will never rise to anything. Either the last Irishman must perish or the English empire must be ripped into pieces. Coming down to late years we had a man whom we treated ungratefully, Parnell. He fell through human frailty, but the English did not renounce Henry VIII, or the Georges, or the Edwards, and they adore the Prince of Wales. But I consider Parnell the greatest man since Hugh O'Neil. The dream that Ireland may be free is not so extravagant, and I hope to see it soon realized. [Great applause.]

Mr. Murphy's singing was a pleasant feature, and his excellent, well rounded voice was heard to great advantage in the following selections: "The Valley Lay Smiling Before Me," and "Oh, Where's the Slave so Lowly," by Moore, "O'Donnell Aboo," "The Low Baked Car," "Lament of Owen Roe," "Clare's Dragoon's," and "Boys of Wexford."

Memorial to Hon. George M. Brooks.

The memorial of the Middlesex county bar in honor of Hon. George M. Brooks, judge of probate, was presented to the Supreme Judicial court at Cambridge this afternoon.

Janitor P. A. Brousseau and wife are visiting their cousin, Simon Brousseau, in Salem.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR FACTORY INSPECTORSHIPS ENDORSED.

Lively Discussion on Scab Clothing Houses — Boycott on Local Dealers Threatened — The Matter Not Yet Settled.

The Central Labor union had a long and interesting meeting yesterday afternoon. The chief subject of discussion was a circular from the United Garment Workers of Boston, complaining that certain houses in Lowell patronize scab shops and sweat concerns, viz: clothing houses that send their goods out to tenement houses to be made. The scab shops, however, were those to which objection was taken.

It was shown that none of the firms in Lowell had the union label on their clothing, but a committee appointed to see the local dealers, consisting of Mr. Ring and Brother Kendall, reported that they had been kindly received by a number of dealers.

Every dealer they had met agreed to comply with the request of the circular in refusing to patronize scab labor. One said he was informed by a wholesale house that he could put the union label on every garment in his store and he happened to be among the number accused of buying from scab firms.

This led to the statement that the union label was for sale or else that a counterfeit was obtainable. Various motions were made in regard to boycotting certain houses but the wind up of the discussion was that a committee was appointed to draft a set of resolutions in circular form to be addressed to the local dealers setting forth the disposition of the labor organizations to patronize only such stores as use the union label. President Meehan, Treasurer Buckley and Mr. Rafferty were appointed to do this work.

A lively discussion was caused by the statement reported to the effect that the Building Laborers' union had made contract with a certain dealer for a number of hats required for a celebration.

The price was made but the union found hats a few cents cheaper with another dealer and purchased the latter although they were prison made goods while the higher priced hats were union made.

Treasurer Buckley repelled this statement stating that the building laborers had purchased hats as agreed from the man who made the statement. The only inference was that the dealer who made the charge was mistaken or that some other organization had been guilty of the offence instead of the building laborers.

Methods were taken to advertise the carpenters meeting to be held in Jackson hall next Friday evening.

A communication was received from the street car workers stating that they were willing to send delegates to the C. L. U. The secretary was instructed to issue credentials to them.

The matter of appointing a state factory inspector came up for discussion.

Michael Logan of the legislative committee reported that certain unions had decided not to recommend a woman for appointment.

He said there was one woman in office now and he did not know whether they could name any one that would do any better. He did not care whether this woman was dropped or not, but the Cotton Spinners union had decided to favor the appointment of a man. They found that C. A. Dam had been working for the place and he recommended the endorsement of Mr. Dam.

Mr. Logan said he had written to the governor in favor of Mr. Dam and received a reply stating that the matter would receive due attention.

This brought out a vigorous protest from the chairman and several others who said that the union must act fairly in the matter. The governor had asked for the name of a woman favored by the C. L. U. Now it was proposed to send him the name of a man and a corporation man at that. Various speakers stigmatized this as unwise. Mr. Ring was particularly emphatic. He said it would be an insult to organized labor to go outside and take up a corporation tool for endorsement as a candidate for inspector of factories. There were plenty of good men for the position naming Thomas F. Connolly, Michael Logan, Mr. Fletcher and others.

Mr. Kendall favored recommending the name of one woman and one man so that the governor could take his choice. This was adopted.

Mr. Rafferty said there is no reason for nominating Mr. Dam except that he was the only man likely to get the place. It is likely that any woman we may nominate will be placed in opposition to the present incumbent, the best factory inspector we have ever had. I never saw a factory inspector until this lady was appointed. I have seen her repeatedly on her rounds through the mills. She has certainly shown more interest in her work than did any previously appointed. This lady is in sympathy with us, and if we place a candidate against her it will be simply to displace one by another perhaps no better. The names mentioned for endorsement were Mrs. Sarah Brady, Miss Annie T. Ring, Miss Mary Murphy. Several gentlemen were also named. The matter went to a vote by ballot and the result was that Thomas F. Connoly and Mrs. Sarah Brady were nominated. Mr. Connolly declined positively and Mr. Rafferty was nominated instead.

PERSONAL.

Miss Grace Hilton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Hilton will be married to Mr. Arthur Dana Gibson of Boston at the home of the bride's parents, Walker street, Wednesday evening. The event is being looked forward to with a great deal of interest by their many friends, as they are both very prominent in society.

Miss Nellie Bean, operator at the Western Union office, was summoned home yesterday by the sudden death of her father, at Plymouth, N. H.

George S. Griggs, who went abroad with Martin, the crack cyclist, arrived home yesterday. He looks hale and hearty.

Among the clergymen who attended the dedication of St. Cecelia's church, Back Bay, Boston, yesterday, were Rev. Michael Ronan and Rev. Richard Burke of this city.

Help the Courteous Ushers.

The Dazzler company No. 2, composed of Lowell people, among whom are Ida Rogers, Marion McAlvin, Bert and Mrs. Bedell and Bobby Ralston will play at the Opera house, Wednesday afternoon at the ushers' benefit. This Dazzler company is the best yet brought out, and combined with this fact should be the desire of the Opera house patrons to show their appreciation of the courtesy and kindness of the ushers the past season by securing seats for the matinee.

Self-measured.

Have you seen the self-measuring air tight coffee canister, the best invention of the age to keep coffee aromatic. For sale at Kilbelle's tea store, corner Central and Prescott streets.

FAST STEPPERS

Lowell Stables to be Well Shown on the Turf.

HOOD, OF SARSAPARILLA FAME, HEADS THE LIST.

Some of the Best Strains found in Horses Owned Here.

In a review of the turf prospects for the season in New England, a Boston paper's correspondent gave a clever account of the fast horses owned in Lowell, and the recent additions to the stables.

It is a matter of some surprise that so many good blooded horses are owned here.

C. J. Hood has the largest and most remarkable stable in charge of Byron Walker. Among the horses are these:

Daisy Rowell 2.26 1-4, own sister to Nelson. She is the dam of Hazel 2.28, and is in foal to Wilkes; 4-year-old colt, Al Ray, by Pomnut; 3-year-old colt, by Viking, dam to Star Ethan; Flora B., yearling to filly, by Passenger; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Robert McGregor; mare, an own sister to Star Lily, by Passenger.

Victor Viking, 3-year-old, by Viking, dam by Dean Sage; E. S. Hylan's colt, 1-year-old, by Passenger, dam by Phil Sheridan; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam by Glencoe Wilkes; yearling colt, by Passenger, dam Maggie W., 2.27; yearling colt, by Passenger, owned by George T. Sheldon of North Chelmsford; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam by Dean Sage; colt, 2 year old, by Erectus, dam by Malcolm King; colt, 2 years old, by Hood's McGregor, dam Flora, second dam by Star Ethan.

Lorena, 2 year old record 2.21, by Strathmore, dam Miss Belmont, by Belmont, the dam of Victor Mazone. She is in foal by Gen. Hancock. Pervour, 2 year old, by Onward, dam Siren, the dam of Gazette, second dam by Mambrino chief, Prologue, 2-year-old, full sister of Acolyte, 2.21, by Onward, dam by Lady Alice, by Almont 33, second dam by Mambrino Chief; brood mare Faustina, by Crown Point, dam Dell Foster, by A. W. Richmond, dam of Faustina, 3 year-old record 2.14 1-4.

Kittie McGregor, by Hood's McGregor, dam, Dean Sage, born in July of last year; yearling colt, by Hood's McGregor, dam Sadie Tinkham.

Sheriff Cushing has a bay mare Bessie F. by Little Hamilton, with a record of 2.33 1-4, and has shown a 2.20 1-4 clip on the Tyngsboro track.

Deputy Sheriff Stiles owns and drives the b. g. Prince, 2.38, and the ch. g. Little Gent, one of the fastest road horses in this vicinity.

Hon. Charles D. Palmer owns the following horses: Hebe, b. m. by Redwood by Belmont, dam Hortense 2.25; Hertha, b. m. by Viking 2.19 1-4, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hermia, b. m. by Viking, dam of Hortense, Hermes, b. st. by Lumps 2.21, dam Hortense, Hildebrand, ch. st. by Viking dam Hilda 2.32 1-2, Hector, b. g. by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hortense, Honor, bay filly by Glencoe Wilkes, dam Hilda 2.32 1-2; Harold, black colt by Hildebrand, dam Hebe.

H. K. Ferrin is the owner of the b. g., Joe Smith, 2.20 1-4, the b. g., Honest Ben, 2.23 1-2, the brood mare Flora S., 2.42, and Lady Sherburne, 2.31.

Col. C. H. Allen recently purchased a pair of chestnut Vermont Morgans.

Murphy & Bingham purchased a short time ago, the b. g., Monkey Roller, 2.15¼, to a high-wheel sulky. This record was made Oct. 3, 1889, at Terre Haute. Monkey Roller was 12th in the first heat of that race, and won the next three heats.

R. F. Britton has in his stables the following horses: Graceful by Glencoe Granite State, a full brother to Graceful, no record, Howdy, 2.34, by Don Carlos, dam Thoroughbred, Bourbon Belle by Bourbon Prince, dam Thoroughbred. Lady Mark by Victor von Bismark. Edgemark Belle and Graceful are now being bred at Pittsfield to Lancelot and Mazatlan. Lancelot at 5 had three in the list, and is the sire of Leone, whose record as a yearling was 2.23.

Tom McLaughlin owns Pansy Blossom, which has been under the care of Dr. Charles Wood, a Lowell veterinary, all winter, and is now in excellent trim for the season. Pansy Blossom was sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by Moore's McGregor. Her record as a four year old was 2.23.

Dr. Fitzgerald of Tyngsboro is to have a meeting in June on his half-mile track in that town, which was completed last fall. Dr. Fitzgerald is the owner of the following horses, which are now in his stable: Senator Blackburn, 7 years old, by Alcyon, dam Minnie Patchen. This stallion covered a mile in 2.42 as a 2-year old; Ida C., 2.40, 6 years old, own sister to Elmbrook, in foal to Senator Blackburn; Harriet, by Indirect.

For the stallion Wilkes Boy Dr. Fitzgerald says he paid $6000. He asserts that the animal can beat 2.20. Wilkes Boy was sired by Brignoli Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. The dam is Toga, by Trojan.

Gloddy's strawberry roan stallion Union Wilkes is now owned by P. L. McBride. His record is 2.20 1-2.

George Lorman of Pawtucketville has purchased the Alack Halk stallion Robert Morrill, imported from Canada last November.

Dr. J. H. Sparks is the owner of the fast pacer Tony S., sired by Hector Wilkes, he by George Wilkes. Driven by Dr. Sparks, this pacer has covered a mile to a road wagon in 2.25.

F. Winn Taylor has a brood mare bred to Electricity, which can give many another fast goer dust. Mr. Taylor also drives a lively span.

John F. Cosgrove of the Opera house takes enjoyment riding behind a full sister of Pansy Blossom.

John Ryan is the owner of a magnificent 3-year-old, "Stanbuletta," sired by Glencoe Wilkes, dam by a son of Smuggler. She stands 15.3, and is a magnificently shaped filly.

Perley P. Gilman of Pawtucketville bought last week the roan mare Nancy by Wood's Hambletonian.

William Farrell has a filly by Glencoe Wilkes.

J. M. Kingsbury of Bridge street has a promising colt which his son Fred drives.

A good family horse for sale at a bargain. Inquire of "D" SUN office.

"Friends" at the Opera House.

Tonight and tomorrow night the charming society drama "Friends" one of the successes of the season, will be given by the same excellent company as earlier in the season gave it. Its merits are deserving of crowded houses.

When you need printing, remember THE SUN.

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LOOM FIXERS STRIKE.

FOUR MEN WANT THEIR OLD PAY RESTORED AT FAULKNERS.

Before the Shut-down They Got $2 Per Day: Now They Get Only $1.44—There Are Other Grievances.

The four loomfixers at Faulkner's mills went on a strike this morning for higher wages or rather a restoration of the old wages. Previous to the last shut down the men were getting $2 per day but upon resuming work last February were cut to 18 cents per hour or $1.44 a day.

Up at Faulkner's there are 21 looms to a section, the largest in the country, it is claimed, and the looms are the fastest in the city, so the four strikers say.

In Collinsville there are 18 looms to the section; the Navy Yard, 16; and the Middlesex mills 18 to the section. Last Friday the men sent a petition to Fred Faulkner requesting a restoration of the old wages. They requested a conference but Mr. Faulkner would not have it and refused to grant the request for higher wages. Finally the men went to him Saturday but received no satisfaction and so declared to strike.

When all help is employed, there are six loomfixers but at present there are only four in the mill.

It is said that by the end of the week the weavers may come out.

Many of the weavers asked for and received an advance in wages last week.

Fred Faulkner when asked about the trouble laughed and said: "You mean the loomfixers. I guess all they want is free advertising."

LOCAL NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Alexander of Tewksbury is ill with the grip.

Alderman S. J. Johnson has returned home from New York.

A regular meeting of the common council will be held tomorrow evening.

Prof. Wells' class assembly will occur tonight instead of tomorrow night.

A complimentary banquet is to be tendered Postmaster G. W. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boyle of Reade street have gone on a visit to New York.

Crescent wheels both gentlemen and ladies $75. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

Miss Ethel Bennett is taking a short respite from her studies at St. Mary's school, Concord.

Columbia bicycles always have and do stand at the head. The Thompson Hardware Co., agents.

The annual love feast of the republican city committee will occur at Associate hall, Wednesday evening.

The Madrigal society closes its first season's work tomorrow evening with a concert recital in Runels' hall.

It is stated that Gov. Greenhalge will give the working people a reception at Huntington hall in the near future.

Mr. William J. Leonard has returned from the medical college at Baltimore, Md, where he has been studying the past year.

While the construction of the Concord river bridge is in progress the electric cars will run to either end, and transfers be given.

Mr. George H. Russell, the laundry proprietor, is smiling hugely over the arrival of a boy, which happy event occurred on Wednesday last.

While the Lowell Machine shop resumes full time, no new help is needed, or the number of employes increased from the present number.

A Sunday school institute will be held next Thursday afternoon and evening at the First Baptist church under the auspices of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday school association.

In addition to the competitive drilling at the field day of the Second Massachusetts School Regiment at Reading, May 20, there will be also a program of sports to take place after the drill, governed by the A. A. rules. Several Lowell cadets will enter the events.

Alex Morse living on Pond street, while repairing a shaft in Stott's mills in Belvidere, fell or slipped from a staging, yesterday morning, and in falling hit his chin on a pulley. A bad lacerated wound was dressed by Dr. Mulcahey.

A canvass was made in the Boott mills Wednesday to determine whether the operatives would prefer to loaf on Patriot's day or on Memorial day, and it was nearly a unanimous vote in favor of Patriots' day. The operatives said: "Give us Thursday and we will let Memorial day take care of itself."

Mr. Abbott Lawrence accompanied by Mr. George Dearborn went up the Concord river to Concord Wednesday; when within five miles of the town they were obliged to camp for the night as at that point the river spread over several acres of meadow and it was too dark for them to find the outlet.

Great cut price week in ladies' fine Capes and Jackets at the Criterion to introduce the products of the most noted manufacturer in America. Events this week; Tuesday, $1.00 for 50c. window display. Thursday Medium window display. Saturday Grand Redfern novelty window, every lady should see them.

DEATHS.

James Harrington, aged 12 years, son of Thomas and Catherine Harrington, died yesterday morning at their home on Front street.

Thomas J. Duffy, aged 37 years, died last evening at his home on Worthen street. Deceased was a letter carrier for a number of years, and was exceedingly popular with the employes of the post office. He was a member of the old 11 N.C.M.'s, and a charter member of Court Merrimack, A. O. F. of A., and was also connected with the Royal Arcanum. Deceased had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will take place from St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and friends are requested not to send flowers.

Mrs. Susan Brown, died last evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ada Stanley, 34 Marginal street. She was the widow of the late Hiram Brown, formerly of Billerica. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Colby, widow of the late Amos Colby, died Friday at the home of her son, Dr. E. A. Colby of Gardner, Mass. She was the mother of Mrs. B. F. Crosby of this city.

Margaret Keenan, aged 75 years, died last night at her home, No. 18 Concord street.

McManmon, florist, Prescott & Merr'k sts.

We Are Always Ready!

Our business is booming and we say let it boom. We can hire all the men we want and we never have any but skilled workmen. Our work is the best, and our price for doing it is always the lowest. John J. Barry, 408 Market street.

LATEST

U. S. TROOPERS

Ordered Out to Scout Coxey's Army.

SECRETARY OF WAR TAKES DECISIVE ACTION TODAY.

Precise Nature of the Orders Not Yet Known.

By Telegraph to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—It is stated that, by order of the secretary of war, troop A of the 8th U. S. cavalry, stationed in barracks at Fort Myer, just across the river from Washington, marched at daylight this morning under order for Hagerstown, Md. where the Coxey army is encamped.

As to the nature of the orders accurate information cannot at present be obtained.

YOUNG MAN'S BODY

TAKEN FROM THE RIVER AT HAVERHILL YESTERDAY.

Was It the Body of the Man Who Fell Into the Concord Early in February?—Police Would Like to Know.

A dispatch has been received from Haverhill at the police station stating that the body of a young man, clad in a black cutaway coat, black single breasted diagonal overcoat, dark striped pants, blue striped shirt, and kid gloves, was found yesterday in the Merrimack river.

The unknown corpse wore a black moustache, and had been in the water two or three months.

Is he a Lowell man?

This is the question which the police are at present trying to solve.

The body cannot be that of the missing Donovan, for he has not been away as long a time as it has been in the water, if what the Haverhill dispatch states is true.

Nor could it have been that of the unfortunate Tully boy, for the description does not answer.

Inspector Lallamme asks the question can it be the body of Louis Gordon who when last seen, five or more weeks ago, was leaving Newmarket, N. H., to come to Lowell.

There is but one other case which could be connected with the finding of this body.

About two months ago THE SUN printed exclusively the story of the disappearance of an unknown man through the ice in the Concord river, beyond the Taylor street bridge, vouched for by two reliable persons, who were eye witnesses. No description could be given of him and nothing has ever been heard of the case since that time.

If not this unknown, the body must have fallen in the river at a point below Lowell.

THE FREE DISPENSARY.

It Will be Opened Monday by the Homeopathists.

The Lowell Homeopathic Free Dispensary will be opened on Wednesday evening and another will be added to Lowell's list of charitable institutions. The institution is the result of a movement among the members of the homeopathic school of medicine who considered that their branch of medicine was not as well represented in this city as it should be or as its importance demanded. The result of this feeling was that a few days ago rooms were secured on Lee street located at number 51 near St. Joseph's church, to be used as a free dispensary. The quarters at present consist of two rooms but it is not expected that they will be more than temporary for the increased attendance expected will make a more extensive establishment necessary.

THEIR FIRST SERMONS.

Three New Methodist Clergymen Appear in Their New Pulpits.

At the Highland Methodist church yesterday, Rev. James Mudge, D. D., the new pastor preached an interesting sermon on "Bearing Burdens."

Rev. Mr. Curnick, the new pastor of the Worthen street Methodist church preached an eloquent sermon from Mathew.

Rev. Charles E. Hall D. D., the new pastor of the Centralville M. E., preached his first sermon at the church yesterday. It was an eloquent effort and was listened to by a large congregation.

Rev. Claude Rabotean in his third discussion on "Rambles in Rome" confined himself to the jewish quarters, and gave some very interesting discussions on the life they lead.

Rev. Mr. Yarrow of the Primitive Methodist church preached a sermon to the members of Waverely lodge, Sons of St. George. He dwelt at some length of the importance of Englishmen becoming naturalized as soon as possible.

BOWLING NEWS.

The last games scheduled in the city league tournament will be played this week, and the season will end with the playing off of ties if there should be any and the postponed games.

The past week was the best as far as records were concerned, the new total being 2495, with two individual totals of 594.

For seven games there were 31,083 pins knocked down, or a grand total of 244,262 pins.

Wholesome Irish Drama.

The three last days of this week at Music hall will be given up to Irish drama presented by George H. Timmons, who comes here from Boston to play "Fairies' Well" and "Kerry Fair." The engagement will no doubt attract a very large audience.

Club Members Were Frightened.

The police visited the rooms of a down town club early Sunday morning. In doing so they frightened the members, who got out of the windows. One member is said to have broken his arm.

Not Under Civil Service Rules.

The office of transit commissioner does not come under the civil service rules. Mr. Connat says that no position within the gift of the school committee is governed by civil service rules.

It is well to give the Spring Overcoats question early consideration.

Business with us is good and there is not much desirable merchandise to be had. Mills are no longer making spring goods, and when the good things are gone—the first to sell—there is no chance to get more.

Three weeks from now, with our present trade, a half dozen excellent styles will be closed.

We won't hurry you—simply sound a note of warning for those who are interested in Rogers, Peet & Co.'s rightly tailored overcoats, or our own.

Proper lengths, properly made, $8, $10, $12, up to $25.

PUTNAM & SON,

ONE-PRICE CLOTHIERS,

Cor. Central & Warren Sts.

HE FACED DEATH.

LOADED SHOT GUN SHOVED IN DAVE DONALDSON'S FACE.

It Might Have Gone Off and Committed Murder—Inspectors Were Serving a Search Warrant and John Carnan Was Waiting for Officer Ryder.

Inspector Dave Donaldson is still alive. He had the narrowest escape from death yesterday afternoon.

John Carnan, living at No. 80 Andrews street, showed a loaded double barrelled shot gun into his face while searching the house for contraband liquors.

Donaldson and Goodwin went to the house with a search warrant as they thought Carnan was doing an illegal liquor business. Search did not prove this to be the case for Carnan was apparently in liquor and very cranky. On going into the house Goodwin started upstairs while Donaldson pushed open a door leading off the hall. The instant the door opened a shot gun was shoved into Donaldson's face. Dave grabbed it and threw it up, thereby saving his life. The inspectors then grabbed the man and took him to the station.

It is said that Carnan had had some trouble with his wife, who appeared with a couple of black eyes of recent infliction. It was said that Carnan was waiting for Officer Chas Rider with a gun, for when he shoved the gun into Donaldson's face Carnan said something about coming after him to arrest him.

Carnan is spoken of as an easy going fellow when all right but very cranky when in liquor.

The shot gun was loaded with heavy shells and in the barrel were big slugs. It is fortunate that Carnan did not get the opportunity to use it.

A PLEASING PROGRAM

Given as the Last of the Entertainment Series at St. Patrick's School.

The last in the series of Sunday evening entertainments given by the Young Men's Catholic Literary society was held at St. Patrick's school hall last evening.

The stage was arranged to represent a drawing room and was decorated with the national colors, hunting and potted plants.

The hall was crowded with friends of the members. The program was a very entertaining one and each number elicited hearty applause. The exercises were under the direction of James Dunfey, the president of the society who extended a hearty welcome to those present. The program included the following numbers: Vocal selections by Misses Margaret McCaffrey, Josephine Morrissey, Messrs. D. S. O'Brien, Michael Gorman, John Murray and J. McMahon; recitations, Misses Hattie Fox, Bessie O'Neil, Lizzie Doran, Messrs. J. Mellen, John Cody and Dennis Donohoe; duet, Joseph and William Mahoney; trio for piano, violin and banjo, Misses Lottie and Kittie Walsh and Master John Quinn.

THE COAL STRIKE.

If Protracted May Affect the Lowell Mills.

In a review of the demand for coal by New England mills it is shown that Lowell mills among others will be affected if the gigantic coal strike is protracted. It takes considerable coal to keep the mills running and it is asserted that contracts for 10,000 tons future delivery had been been placed some time ago.

Here are figures of coal consumption in this vicinity: Railroads entering in Boston 1,000,000 tons annually; Lowell mills 100,000 tons, Lawrence mills take over 125,000, Worcester needs 165,000, Portland 212,000, New Haven 400,000, New Bedford 185,000, Fall River 275,000 and Providence 570,000.

The millionaire Boston coal syndicate owning Nova Scotia mines is expected to reap a harvest by the strike.

THE NEW BOULEVARD

Will be Commenced Upon in About a Fortnight.

It is stated that the work of extending the new boulevard from the end of the present boulevard, to Tyngs Island will begin in about a fortnight. The work will probably be done by contract.

A Fractured Arm.

Mrs. Joseph Wilson of 22 Seventh avenue met with a severe accident on Friday evening, while out riding with her son. By a sudden stopping of the horse she was thrown forward and in falling, in some way, her left arm was broken between the elbow and the shoulder. She was otherwise considerably injured, although she did not fall from the carriage. As Mrs. Wilson was previously quite infirm the accident seems quite unfortunate.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, APRIL 23.

SUN RISES	4 51	MOON RISES	11 44 PM
SUN SETS	6 35	FULL SEA	2 00 AM
LENGTH OF DAY	13 44		2 30 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Local showers; variable winds; slightly cooler in Vermont.

For Massachusetts: Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in western portion.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; westerly winds.

NO SENTIMENT.

There is no sentiment in trade. People buy where they can get the most for their money. Compare each edition of THE SUN, with any paper in the city issued at the same hour, and see which gives you the most for your money.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Girard B. Dadman may be nominated for registrar of voters.

Peter A. Fay, Esq., will be a candidate for chairman of the democratic city committee.

The Andover conference in the Kirk Street church tomorrow will call together over 500 delegates.

Councilman P. J. O'Brien of Ward One will be brought forward by his friends as a representative candidate next fall.

Arthur C. Benner, John B. Coleman and Fred McMonagle are the latest candidates for the truant commissionership.

Ex-Councilman W. H. Stafford's name is mentioned in connection with the representative contest in Ward Three.

Don't forget to call and see the line of ice chests and refrigerators displayed at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

The regular meeting of the school board will be held next Monday night, and not tonight as stated by some of the papers.

The Columbia Whist club met with Mrs. Batchelder of Hartings street, Saturday evening, and the first prize was awarded to Mrs. H. G. Cushing.

Among the candidates mentioned for the position of truant commissioner is Michael J. Manning, president of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

Bicycle menders report increased business since Patriots' day. Many cycles came out rather the worse for wear by reason of the riders' enthusiasm and a trip to old Concord.

Arbor day is to be observed by the Village Improvement association of Chelmsford Centre next Saturday. After the work upon the streets and public grounds dinner will be served.

William Lyons the popular employe of the Kitson's Machine shop at the request of many of his friends has consented to stand as a candidate for the democratic city committee from Ward one.

The new Congregational church in North Chelmsford, Rev. Mr. Briant pastor, is to be dedicated next Thursday. The new structure takes the place of the church destroyed by fire in January of last year.

Now that the novelty of the first and only fender equipped electric car has worn off, people are led to inquire what good it would be as a protective prefix while being carried from 12 to 18 inches above the car rails.

Mr. William Benson the well known actor, is visiting at his home in this city. Mr. Benson previous to securing a permanent engagement was a well known amateur actor, having been, for many years, connected with the Lowell Reform club dramatic society.

Some people think, judging from appearances, that it would be nearly as cheap to rebuild the ex-corporation house, corner of Paige and Bridge streets, than to alter it over for store purposes. A new front and new floor timbers seem to be coming pretty near the first principles in building.

The Veteran Firemen.

The new tournament rules of the N. E. Veteran Firemen's league as presented by the committee for consideration at the May meeting, provide for only a few changes from the old code, as follows:

Rubber hose must be used hereafter. None but bona fide members can work on engines or march in the parade. No baggage or luggage wagons of any sort will be allowed in the parade.

Otherwise the rules are the same, including the pipe chain attachments and curved line of hose. The rules have been subdivided and number 30 in all.

The muster season will open this year much earlier than usual. The first muster will be held at Peabody, Tuesday, June 5, under the same management as last year, with the same rules, including the straight line of hose with the overlap abatements.

SEEN AND HEARD.

Rep. Daniel Murphy is mentioned as a candidate for congress——on the socialist ticket.

How it came about was as follows: "Billy" Meade while in Boston on business the other day met P. F. O'Neil, last year's candidate for governor on the socialist ticket. To Billy he explained the workings of the party together with its strength and asked his opinion of the best man to run for congress on the ticket from this district. Billy immediately thought of Rep. Dan Murphy as the man and Mr. O'Neil agreed that Dan would fill the bill, so therefore Dan was made the candidate.

But the candidate himself had something to say in the matter and when approached by a SUN reporter, he said: "I decline with thanks the candidacy. At present my two legs are the same length and I wish to keep them that way," and Dan walked away murmuring something about that quality which some people possess which tends to keep flies away from them.

The office is seeking the man and here is a good chance for some ambitious politician.

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The Friday evening closing movement is between hay and grass, apparently. A. G. Pollard & Co., still continue to close and are in favor of making it a permanent thing, except around holidays, when extra time is needed to serve customers. Last week many stores opened. One of the fancy goods stores did not take in in sales (not profit) enough to pay the cost of electric lights. People trade Saturday afternoons, and as a rule they have gotten out of coming down town Friday nights.

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Engineer Hart of the pumping station told me a few days ago that new big $60,000 beauty, the Worthington high pressure engine, is only run occasionally, as the driven wells system has robbed it of its work. He starts up the big machine to keep the parts in good order and to prevent corrosion setting in.

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The parents of many pupils in the High school complain bitterly that they are obliged to purchase new gowns for their daughters, if the latter are to appear in the calisthenic drill on the annual exhibition day. It appears that the instructress decides what shall be worn and what shall not.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

LABOR FEDERATION.

EMPLOYES OF THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD UNITED.

They Are Not Organized for Trouble But for Mutual Protection.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 23.—Three hundred of the employes of the Consolidated Railroad company met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming a federation to be made up of the six labor organizations into which the employes are divided. The meeting was purely in the interests of employes of the Consolidated, although there were quite a number of guests from lodges in other parts of the country.

The organizations represented were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, Order of Railroad Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Order of Railroad Telegraphers and Switchmen's Mutual Aid association. The question of forming a system of federation was fully discussed, and a big majority were in favor of the proposition. A committee made up of one member from each of the organizations was appointed to visit every lodge throughout the system and report at a further meeting.

An Open Meeting.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a public meeting was held in the Grand Opera house. C. A. Wilkins of Chicago, assistant grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, said that the meeting did not necessarily mean that the men were planning a disturbance. As a matter of fact, the relations between the Consolidated and their employes were entirely pleasant, and nothing was more remote than the prospect of trouble between them. The meeting was simply for the purpose of becoming acquainted with each other and ascertaining whether or not it was the general opinion that a system of federation would best cement the present cordial relations between employers and employed, and promote the best interests of all concerned.

Rev. Dr. Pullman told the men that the time was coming when there would be no such thing as strikes, but employers and employes would be organized into a common brotherhood.

Church and Labor.

P. H. Morrissey of Galesburg, Ills., first vice president of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, touched on the question of the relations between the church and the organizations, and said that it was the duty of the latter to be closely in touch with the church. The organizations themselves would much prefer to hold their meetings on week days, but owing to the nature of their employment Sunday was the only day on which they could meet. The organizations took pride in the fact that no infidel or agnostic could become a member.

Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen adjured the men to remain faithful to the obligations assumed by them on entering their respective organizations, and to faithfully execute the trust reposed in them by their employers. He mentioned the fact that there are now 29,000 members of the Brotherhood of Firemen and over 675,000 members of the different railway organizations, comprising the grandest industrial army in the world.

A united organization, composed of conductors, telegraphers and every department of the road, was formed.

A letter of regret was read from Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers, who was unable to be present.

Message From the Deep.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 23.—Edward L. Bryan picked up a corked bottle on the beach yesterday, inside of which was a slip of paper with the following inscription: On board S. H. Walker, Jan. 21. Vessel leaking and think she will sink before morning. Inform S. H. Walker, Taunton, Mass. Nickerson, master. There is an American schooner named Samuel H. Walker, hailing from Taunton. Her owner is Samuel H. Walker.

Washout Caused a Disaster.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 23.—A work train on the Grand Trunk road, from Island Pond, Vt., ran into a washout near Wenlock station, killing a brakeman and badly injuring several workmen. The engine and several cars rushed headlong into the river. The engine was wrecked. Washouts are reported on the Maine Central near West Stewartstown and on the Grand Trunk between North Stratford and Beattie.

Next!

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A plan for the creation of an elect body of 25 persons, distinguished in literature and science, the fine arts and invention, has been submitted to the house by Representative Black. The purpose of the bill is to create an organization in this country similar to the "Immortals" of France and to the National Academy of Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Two Bombs For a Mayor.

PARIS, April 23.—Two bombs exploded yesterday just outside the mayor's house in Liege. The Royal theater, which is but a few yards from the house, was slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Many persons suspected of having set the bombs were arrested.

Where Revolutionists Get Coin.

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Herald's Montevideo dispatch says: The ex-minister of foreign affairs of Uruguay declares that the River Plata committee for the Brazilian revolution received $600,000 from European Brazilians for the revolutionary cause.

Republican Leaguers Meet.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A conference of the members of the executive committee of the National Republican league begins today. It is to make necessary preliminary arrangements for the convention of the league and consult with members of the Republican national committee and the Republican congressional committee.

An Unhappy Woman.

BOSTON, April 23.—An unknown woman, about 24 years of age, attempted suicide by jumping off Cragies bridge into the Charles river last night. When rescued the woman was unconscious, but recovered her senses some time after. She refused to divulge her name or to give a cause for attempting to take her life.

No Change In Figures.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—President McBride of the United Mine Workers states that his revised estimate show that more men have struck in the competitive district and fewer in the outlying district than anticipated, but the total number of men out remains about the same as given Saturday, 125,000.

St. Peter's Crowded With Pilgrims.

ROME, April 23.—Eighty-five hundred Spanish pilgrims were present yesterday in St. Peter's at further services held in connection with the beatification of Juan d'Arvila Diemo. The ceremonies were marked with all the pomp that attended the beatification services last week.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

E. G. Parker, 22 East Merrimack street, has made a tremendous drop in price of coal.

The buildings of the Country club at Tyngs' Island have been placed in fine shape by workmen.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Workmen were at work all day yesterday putting in curbstone for the platform on the westerly side of the Northern depot.

By a collision the pony cart of Dr. Plunkett's son was badly damaged in front of the post office late yesterday afternoon.

The entertainment of the Ladies' Sewing circle of St. Patrick's church will take place in Huntington hall tomorrow evening.

A delegation of the Boston Union Veterans union will visit Lowell Friday night, to attend the meeting of the body in this city.

The log boom on the upper river has been put out again. It will take an act of congress, it is said, to get the boom removed.

The book of rules and regulations of the Second High School Regiment has been issued and are in the hands of our high school cadets.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The tournament at the Vesper club is nearly over. The finish of the schedule shows one team in first position and four teams tied for second place.

Daniel Murphy and Florence Murphy of this city are members of the Mt. St. Mary's college base ball nine. The former is the regular catcher for the team and the latter is playing in right field.

Capt. Bachelder of the Daniel Gage has put in a new Herreshoff boiler of a square pattern. It is a quick steam making boiler. He will have plenty of power to push his big boat through the water this season.

Posters calling attention to the democratic caucuses for the choice of ward delegations of the city committee are out. Candidates should see that their names are sent to proper officers for placing on the ballots.

The coming season will be the liveliest in the history of the Vesper club, according to the fine schedule of events printed in Saturday's SUN. The ladies' night will be an enjoyable affair, made so by the presence of an orchestra for dancing.

Several new members were admitted to the Young Men's Catholic Literary society yesterday afternoon. Two lists of candidates for the various offices headed by John J. Cody and Thomas Pendergast, candidates for president, were submitted. The election will take place next Sunday.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the League Clubs Up to Date.

At Brooklyn—Boston, 3; Brooklyn, 0.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; New York, 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Washington, 2.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Chicago, 0.
At Louisville—Cleveland, 5; Louisville, 1.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 2.

Diamond Tips.

The home teams are getting the better of it so far, but the tide may turn after a while.

Washington is putting up pretty fast ball, while Baltimore is doing herself proud.

Every man on the Baltimore team began his career either as a pitcher or catcher.

Pittsburg is trying very hard to get Pitcher Breitenstein from St. Louis, and it is rumored that the deal will be consummated.

The first week ends with Baltimore in the lead and Boston and Cincinnati tied for second place.

Cincinnati rubbed it into Chicago, and Anson must be ruminating on coming events that cast their shadows before.

Mike Slattery has caught Worcester, and it is anticipated that when that team opens in Haverhill on Saturday next a great reception will be given both Connie Murphy and himself.

Boston will have a regular "sawed-off" outfield this season. Duffy, McCarthy and Bannon are all under medium size. They are only small in stature, for they are large and mighty in ability. If Bannon can keep up with the other two he will not be looking for a job next season. —Sporting Life.

Standing of the League.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Baltimore	3	0	St. Louis	1	1
Boston	2	0	Louisville	1	1
Cincinnati	2	0	Washington	1	2
Philadelphia	2	1	Brooklyn	0	2
Cleveland	1	1	Chicago	0	2
Pittsburg	1	1	New York	0	3

An Agitator Murdered.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—Patrick O'Brien, who came here with other agitators, was killed yesterday at Turkey Ridge. He had finished an address to the mine workers, composed mostly of negroes and foreigners, in which he urged them to throw down their picks. A foreigner named Hanseni addressed his countrymen. "This man," he said, "would deprive your families of bread when there is nothing to be gained by striking." The lie was passed, and Hanseni plunged a knife into O'Brien's body repeatedly, killing him almost instantly. The murderer then fled.

Cheers For Kelley's Men.

NEOLA, Ia., April 23.—Kelley's industrial army made their first day's march from Council Bluffs here, and went into camp in a grove just east of the town. The entry into Neola was a triumphant march, and cheers were lusty as the 1800 men tramped down the town's main street to the more or less musical strains of two country bands. Stores and vacant buildings were thrown wide open, and the weary men were offered all available shelter.

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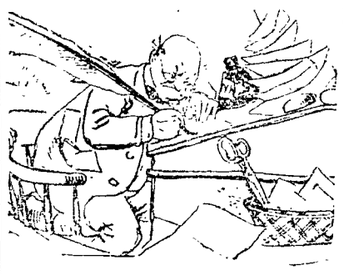

THE SUN HAS HEARD

That the Moody street bridge is not going through this year.

That the republican aldermen evidently know what they are there for.

That they will soon be wondering where they are at.

That business is improving.

That a half-baked democrat on the license commission will not do.

That a bright, energetic democrat can distinguish himself as chairman of the next democratic city committee.

That Councilman Benson has no fears as to the out-come of the representative fight in Ward six.

That the Locks and Canals corporation had better agree to the extension of Aiken street before asking for the Moody street bridge.

That Moses T. Stevens is going to run for congress next November.

That Postmaster Pearson is destined to distinguish himself in his new office.

That Mayor Pickman is likely to appear before a republican convention next fall to thank his friends for the nomination, and to assure them that the honor was entirely unexpected.

That THE SUN prints the news, the whole news, and no fakes.

That some of our local bicyclists are totally indifferent to the rights of pedestrians on street crossings.

That Councilman Curtin will show the members of next year's council, how President Sparks should have performed his duty.

That one of the candidates for the democratic appointment on the coming license commission, is depending upon a promise of treachery to the democratic party for his success.

That Gov. Greenhalge will be fair enough to consult the wishes of the democratic party, and not the republican party in Lowell, when he selects the democratic member of that commission.

That it would be a political outrage to allow the republican party to dictate the three appointments.

That license will not come so high under a commission.

That the commission may not have an opportunity to grant licenses for two or three years.

That pulling other people's chestnuts out of the fire is poor business.

That Lowell is going to vote for no license by a large majority unless the sentiment changes very soon.

That there is nothing on this earth to equal the supreme gall of a republican alderman.

That Postmaster Burbank will take the congressional nomination if he can get it. That he thinks he can.

That the friends of Knox will give him some hard knocks if he runs their favorite candidate off the switchboard.

That there is no joke in the foregoing for Burbank.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Lawbreakers at Tiverton Receive an Unexpected Visit From Officers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 23.—The sheriff of Newport county with a squad of deputies and police officers from Newport dropped in upon North Tiverton, R. I., just over the state line yesterday morning and captured 43 barrels of beer and three dealers. The deputies were armed with rifles and there was no attempt at resistance.

A week ago yesterday Tiverton was without police protection, the constables not having been sworn in, and a mob of some 2000 gathered. Ring fights and dog and cock fights were to be found every few yards, and there were many scenes of violence throughout the day. In anticipation of another such day of mob rule the people of the town asked for aid from state officers. Squads of police were sent down yesterday from the different stations here to preserve order on this side of the line. A crowd gathered, but the fear of arrest and of summary punishment prevented any repetition of previous lawless proceedings.

A Boston Church Dedicated.

BOSTON, April 23.—With imposing pomp and ceremony St. Cecilia's church in the Back Bay was dedicated yesterday. Archbishop Williams was assisted by Vicar General Byrne and Rev. E. J. Devett. After the dedication services pontifical high mass was celebrated by Archbishop Satolli, who was assisted by three clergymen. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a picked choir from the various churches in the diocese. Rev. P. A. Halpin of New York preached the sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Satolli celebrated pontifical high vespers.

Drunk or Crazy?

AMHERST, Mass., April 23.—Miss Florence Geer, aged 18, daughter of Mrs. Mallory, was terribly frightened by a young man who appeared at the door of the Mallory residence entirely naked. Miss Geer was alone. The man asked permission to enter, but attempted no violence. When the girl ran from the house in search of her parents he suddenly disappeared. It is supposed that he was drunk or demented.

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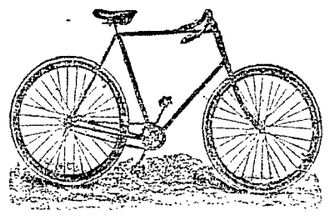

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AT 6½c. PER YARD.
100 pieces of check and striped Nainsook, a regular 10c. quality.

AT 8c. PER YARD.
Two cases of Chambray Ginghams, a regular 12½c. quality.

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An elegant assortment of Lama Challies, retailed everywhere at 17c.

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One case of Bandenberg Cloths, 32 in. wide, superfine quality;

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Light refreshments will be served.

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All present and past pupils and friends are invited.

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Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8 15	9 20	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 26	11 45	12 56
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Trains by this division leave Lowell from Central street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway Street.

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To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
§7 18	8 02	7 00	7 55
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9 16	10 10	5 00	5 59
§4 25	5 32	7 30	8 20
§8 00	7 00	8 00	8 40
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§From Middlesex St. station only.

Fooling the People.

You can fool some of the people all the time; you can fool all the people some of the time; but you can't fool all the people all the time by getting out a second-hand newspaper. Compare THE SUN with other local papers.

GARDNER W. PEARSON will probably assume his duties as postmaster by May 1.

THE SUN is not willing to credit the charges against Councilman Noble without further evidence.

THE SHERIFF of New York receives a higher salary than the president of the United States. Efforts have been made to have this changed but without avail.

THE CITIZEN is quibbling about THE SUN'S statements in regard to the granting of licenses. Good democrats were punished and bad rewarded by that deal. Not all those who got licenses are bad democrats.

THE MANNER in which a republican alderman laid a scheme to entrap, if not to vilify, a councilman, led another member of the common council to remark that boodling is the special privilege of aldermen and if a member of the lower board attempts to trespass upon this privilege he may expect to be punished.

IF COXEY'S army goes to Washington it will cause trouble if not restrained within proper bounds. It should be assigned a certain district and there detained under government surveillance until such times as the heroes want to go home. Coxey and his followers will probably become unruly when they reach Washington, and if so they will speedily be put under strict discipline or driven from the city.

SOME OF the Grand Army men are dissatisfied with the manner in which Patriots' day was let pass in Lowell without any attempt to honor the memory of Ladd and Whitney the first martyrs of the civil war. The celebration was at Lexington and Concord where the first battle was fought but Lowell holds the dust of the two protomartyrs in the great struggle for the perpetuation of the republic established by the revolutionary fathers.

THE CONGREGATIONAL News deplores the abolition of Fast day, stating that now there is no platform for united discussion nor a time to focus such thought. How often on Fast day have Lowell ministers spoken to empty benches? How often have they tried in vain to muster a single congregation from all the churches? But the News consoles itself upon the thought that it, and it alone, still lives in Lowell to afford the people an opportunity to make their influence felt for public reforms. Patriots' day is not recognized by the C. News as worthy of mention. It will always be celebrated with enthusiasm and will inspire the people to higher aims, loftier ideals and a more faithful obedience to the laws of God and man.

THE LICENSE COMMISSION BILL.

The bill to provide for the appointment of boards of license commissions and to define the powers and duties of the same is now exciting considerable discussion in the legislature.

The original bill provides that the governor shall appoint the commission for each city, and this feature has provoked the greatest opposition. Representative Farley from this city offered an amendment, which if adopted, would settle the matter in a popular way, but would not take it out of politics so effectively as if the commissioners were appointed by the mayor of each city.

Mr. Farley's amendment provides that the license commissioners shall be elected by the legal voters of each city at the annual state election. Each board shall consist of three persons who shall have been residents of the city at least two years immediately preceding election, and who shall not be directly or indirectly engaged in the manufacture or sale of intoxicating liquors. If any member of said board engages directly or indirectly in said business his place shall become vacant.

According to Mr. Farley's amendment one member shall be elected for three years, one for two years and another for one year from the first day of April next following the election, and there shall thereafter be one member of the license commission elected each year to serve for three years. Vacancies shall be filled by special election. Two members of the board shall constitute a quorum, and the board shall make a quarterly report to the mayor of the city.

A commission elected by the people would assume more importance than the board of aldermen and the election would be controlled by the liquor dealers. The amendment is right in principle but is difficult to say how it would work in practice.

Other amendments have been made providing that this commission shall be appointed by the mayor of the city in each case instead of the the governor of the commonwealth. Still another amendment provides that the appointing power shall rest with the mayor and board of aldermen. As the bill stands it is to take effect upon its passage but an amendment provides that it shall take effect when adopted by a majority of the legal voters in any city or town.

With these and many other less important amendments it is certain that the subject will be thoroughly discussed and that the original bill will undergo considerable modification before being passed if passed at all. It is quite likely, however, that the republican majority in the legislature will endeavor to remove the appointing power as far as possible from the people and that will place it in the hands of the governor as provided for in the original bill. There is no mistaking the fact that the people want a license commission, but they want one which will in some degree be under local control.

THAT WAS a rather anarchistic speech made by the Rev. Mr. Bicknell at the Royal Arcanum banquet. It is just such statements let fall under a temporary lapse of judgment that prey upon the minds of cranks and lead them to commit serious crimes. If there was any restraint in the liberty of speech in this country, Rev. Mr. Bicknell's statements would be an indictable offence. It could be easily construed into an incentive to outrage. Fortunately, none of the reverend gentleman's hearers shared his extreme views and the statements caused only surprise that a religious minister should have so expressed himself.

IT DOES not pay when a fire alarm is rung for a blaze in the brush at the poor farm or even in a rat nest in the heart of the city, to have the lives of the public along the streets endangered by the furious driving or racing of the fire department. Chief Hosmer take note that the lives of pedestrians should be protected at least as well as any old building in the city.

CURRENT CLIPPINGS.

No Time for Poets.

What wonder that the poets of this prosy age regret
That themes for making poesy are now so hard to get!
Those pleasant rural pictures which for years employed the pen
Of poets have been crowded out to never come again.

The weary plowman never more shall plod his weary way,
He rides a sulky like a fool—a jockey trim and gay.
The sower scattering the seeds afield no more is seen,
For that, like all the other work, is done by a machine.

The scythe the mower used to swing is rusting in the shed,
A hired man now whacks the mules that do the work instead.
The merry cradlers in the wheat we can no more discern,
The job they had they yielded to a patent right concern.

The jolly thresher, with his flail, upon the old barn floor—
He, too, has left the country, for his usefulness is o'er.
With others he was pushed aside and forced to clear the way
For mechanism, dull and dry, that rules the land today.

The loom and spinning wheel, which maidens used to ply with art,
Have gone, and naught has come to fill their once poetic part.
Stern realism rules the age from cradle to the grave.
There's nothing left concerning which the poet's muse may rave.

Since nearly every task today is done by steam or horse,
Toil, as a poet's theme, has grown too practical of course.
Wherever we may turn there's naught but mechanism seen,
And even poetry like this is made by a machine.

—Chicago Mail.

Cease Your Strife.

Come, workmen, cease your strife.
That only serves to divide you.
While thus you play the game of life,
Your enemies will decide you.
Cast each unworthy thought away,
Join hands with your toiling neighbor
And all unite to make the fight
O'er the rights and wrongs of labor.

Why spend your time and waste your strength
In competing with your brother?
Pause and reflect. You'll find at length
'Tis better to help each other.
Too long have men their fellows slain
By musket or shall or saber.
Swear it shall not be so again.
Unite in the ranks of labor.

"United we stand," a gallant band,
Battling in a cause most holy.
"Divided we fall," pushed to the wall,
The victims of our own folly.
Then clear the way. Do not delay.
Combine with your honest neighbor,
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SUNBEAMS.

An Impossibility.

One of the Girls—So you are wedded to music?

He—Oh, dear no! I am too much in love with it for that.—Life.

Scarcity of Small Change.

"How do you like this town?" asked a white gentleman of Sam Johnsing, who had just arrived in a Texas town and started a barber shop.

"De town am good enuff, but I'ze sorry for de folks, dey am so pore."

"There seems to be considerable wealth," remarked the customer.

"Yes, dar seems to be, but hit's all a snare and a collusion. Yesterday I wanted change foah a $5 bill. I hunted all fru my pockets, and I hain't foun dat $5 bill yet. I nebber seed a town where it was so hard to git change foah a $5 bill."—Texas Siftings.

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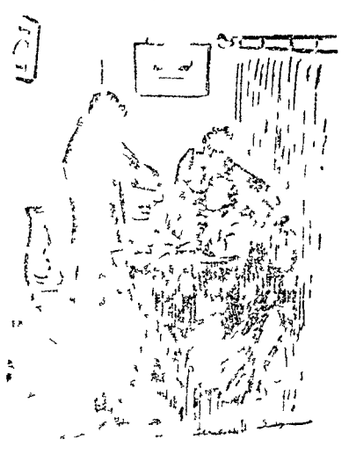

Over the Girls—So you are wedded [illegible]

"Oh dear no! I am too much in [illegible]—L[illegible]

Society Small Change.

"Do you know the town I asked a [illegible] of Sun Johnsing, who [illegible] just arrived in a Texas town and [illegible] a barber shop.

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EARTHQUAKE

Many Persons Killed and Injured in Greece.

A NUMBER OF CHURCHES THROWN DOWN.

Later Reports Swell the List of Deaths.

ATHENS, April 23. — The earthquake shocks that began at about 7:30 Friday night continued with more or less frequency until yesterday. All Saturday night a moving of the earth was noticed, and the people of this city were in a state of semi-panic.

Thousands of people spent the whole night in the streets, dreading that should they enter their houses a more severe shock might bring the buildings down upon them. Telegraphic communication with many parts of the country is badly interrupted, and it is impossible to get news from some of the towns that must have been affected by the shocks. This uncertainty has given rise to many rumors regarding the loss of life, some of the estimates placing it at a very high number. That it is large there is no doubt.

All the dispatches from the provinces, to the number of killed and injured, will greatly swell the accounts of the damage to property. In three villages alone, Masellun, Proskina and Martino, all in the province of Locris, 129 persons were killed.

A heavy shock occurred at Proskina while vesper services were being held in the parish church, which was quite an old building, but a very substantial edifice. The walls of the church fell, burying all the worshippers in the ruins. The residents of the building were terror stricken at the violence of the seismic disturbance, and some little time elapsed before they recovered enough presence of mind to attempt to remove those covered with the debris of the church. Finally, however, a force was organized and the work of rescue began. Hardly a person in the church escaped without injury. Thirty were taken out dead, amid the wailing and sobbing of their relatives and friends. Houses were thrown down in other parts of the village, and the money loss is great.

But Few Escaped.

Some of the villagers are practically ruined. At Malesina houses tottered and fell as though built of cardboard. Hundreds of their occupants were caught before they had time to more than attempt to escape. In this little village 60 persons were killed, some of the bodies being crushed out of all semblance to humanity. In some cases entire families, fathers, mothers and children, were taken out of the ruins dead.

At Martino 39 persons were killed. Here, as at Proskina, the parish church was the scene of the greatest number of fatalities, the walls of the structure being thrown from their foundations and toppled upon the worshippers. The others who lost their lives were killed by falling houses.

It would be almost impossible to describe the scene in these villages. The people appear to be stunned by the severity of the blow that has fallen upon them, and many of them are completely apathetic.

Others who lost loved ones are nearly crazed with grief, and many heart-rending scenes have been witnessed as the dead are tenderly removed from the masses of wreckage that once represented dwelling houses and places of worship.

In the vicinity of Athens the fatalities were less numerous, but the damage to property is immense. The offices of the American Lloyd and other steamship companies were partially destroyed.

The domes, walls and mosaics of the famous Byzantine church of Daphnea were very seriously injured.

King Will Go the Rounds.

King George will start for the maritime districts that have been devastated by the shocks. He will be accompanied by the minister of the interior and other officials, and together they will decide upon the measures that must be taken to alleviate the distress among the people.

The reports that have thus far been received show that very many of the deaths occurred in the churches. Last week was passion week in the Greek church and religious services were held every day and evening. The services were very largely attended, and, several churches falling, this, in a measure, accounts for the large loss of life. A majority of the victims were women and children.

The government will be compelled to adopt extraordinary measures to help the poor in the districts affected. Steps to this end have already been taken, and the state authorities are giving quick response to the calls that are being made upon them.

The total number of deaths thus far reported is 169, but there is scarcely any question that this number will be augmented when the more remote villages are heard from.

When this dispatch was being sent from Athens, a sharp shock was felt that for a time caused consternation among everybody in the telegraph office.

Pacific Coast Steamer Wrecked.

MONTEREY, Cal., April 23.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Los Angeles, bound north from Newport and way ports to San Francisco, ran on the rocks at Point Sur lighthouse Saturday night. The steamer sank within a few minutes, and the passengers and crew took to the boats. Three men in the forward part of the vessel were caught by the rush of water and drowned.

Another Bad Anarchist Captured.

LONDON, April 23.—Owing to revelations made by Francesco Polti, the anarchist, the police have arrested an Italian named Giuseppe Ferrara. It is said that Ferrara controlled the collection and distribution of funds for the anarchist cause, and directed the manufacture and disposal of shells.

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BOSTON, April 23.—The employes in the freight sheds of the Fitchburg railroad held a special meeting yesterday. A committee was appointed to request the management that the old rate of $1.75 a day be restored.

The Situation Unchanged.

ST. PAUL, April 23.—Locally there is little change in the Great Northern situation. In the matter of the proposed conference nothing has been developed.

Something Unusual.

HALIFAX, April 23.—For the first time in over 40 years Halifax harbor is closed to navigation by ice. The continuous east and northeast winds that have prevailed for the past two weeks have driven large fields of heavy gulf ice on to this coast, and it now extends from Canso west to Lunenburg.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

An intercollegiate Arctic expedition is being organized.

The colonial legislature of Newfoundland was prorogued.

Five children in one family at Goshen, N. Y., died within a few days.

Actor Bob Hilliard's wife secured a divorce and $25 a week alimony.

Heavy rains in New Hampshire have caused streams to rise rapidly.

Porter Cross, aged 80, a retired building mason, died at Springfield, Mass.

Vice President Harris of the Northern Pacific Railroad company is dead.

James Feciere, living in Ludlow, Mass., was run over by a freight train and died soon after.

Augustin Daly has been tendered a complimentary dinner in London by Consul General Collins.

Charles Brimblecom of Barre, Mass., 60 years old, a prominent lawyer in western Worcester county, is dead.

Great damage by the earthquake in Greece. A warship has been sent to the relief of the distressed district.

Edward H. Thayer, ex-treasurer of the Boston Postoffice Clerks' association, is said to be short in his accounts.

The assistant rector of St. Ignatius church, New York, claims to have been forced to leave by Bishop Potter.

Governor Brown of Rhode Island has been appointed one of the three judges in the declamation contest between Yale and Harvard.

A case of smallpox was reported to the Worcester (Mass.) board of health. The victim is Mrs. George Wiberg, wife of a travelling Swedish minister.

A United States fish car has just finished distributing 50,000 brook trout among the different streams that run by the side of the Bennington and Rutland railroad in Vermont.

William Alexander, who has been creating disturbances in school at Plymouth, N. H., was sentenced to 30 days in jail and costs, the jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior.

VICTIM WAS TIPSY.

Town of Sharon, Mass., Excited Over a Sunday Tragedy.

SHARON, Mass., April 23.—Charles F. Ilkenhaus has been arrested for the killing of James Tracy. Not since the finding of the body of Carrie Whitney, who was murdered on the shore of Lake Massapoag, about eight years ago, has there been so much excitement in this little town.

Early Sunday morning James Tracy, who is said to have been half drunk, with two companions, tried to gain admittance to Ilkenhaus' house, and were met by Ilkenhaus at the door. Tracy stood on the top step and his companions were in the rear.

Ilkenhaus opened the door but a few inches and emptied the chambers of a 38-caliber revolver into the body of Tracy.

One of the bullets proved fatal, and that entered his side about 2 1-2 inches above the left nipple, between the fourth and fifth ribs, through his left lung, severing an artery, and through his right lung, striking the fourth rib, on his right side, and lodging just beneath the skin under his arm.

When the first shot was fired Tracy and his companions started to run, and Ilkenhaus, after firing three shots, closed his door, unconscious of the results of his shooting.

The only explanation he gives is that the men were trying to rob his home and he shot in self-defense.

The men said that they came along the road as they always did and made no unusual noises. They say that they went to the house because they saw a light in the window and wanted to get a match. They rapped on the door, and in response Ilkenhaus came, and before they knew what was up the fatal revolver spoke and the next they saw was Tracy staggering out and falling headlong over the stone steps to the sidewalk.

Serious Carriage Accident.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—A carriage in which four ladies were riding was overturned on Manning street, and all of the occupants were thrown out. Miss Mary Parker was injured about the head and made unconscious, and is believed to have suffered a fracture of the skull.

Fog and Ice Bound.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 23.—The enormous quantity of ice which has floated down along the Nova Scotia coast has blockaded Halifax harbor, and, together with the dense fog which has prevailed, has temporarily suspended navigation. Many vessels are tied up here.

The Coxey Crowd.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 23.—After a three days' stop in this place the Coxey cohorts are preparing to march on to Frederick. Mayor Fleming of Frederick is preparing a frosty reception of the army. He has announced that no public meeting will be allowed unless in a hall, and that there shall be no parade on the street.

Target Tender Is Dead.

BANGOR, Me., April 23.—Richard W. Hewey, aged 32 years, died yesterday from the effects of a bullet wound received Thursday. He was tending target at the range of the Hamlin Rifles, and came before a target without signalling, receiving a bullet over the heart. He was not seen by the man who was shooting.

An Unexplained Accident.

BOSTON, April 23.—At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning Andrew J. Hayes, 30 years of age, fell from the roof of the four-story building, 328 Federal street, to the sidewalk, and was instantly killed. How or why young Hayes went upon the roof is unknown, and the police will make an investigation.

An Overdue Steamer.

MONTREAL, April 23.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the fruit laden steamship Premier, which left Halifax on Tuesday last for Montreal. Her cargo is valued at $10,000, and is likely to be ruined if the steamer is detained much longer.

Damaging Bomb In Pessaro.

ROME, April 23.—A bomb exploded in a sugar refinery in Pessaro, on the Adriatic. Six persons were injured severely and the building was partly wrecked.

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THE SENATE

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Contests at Hand on Various Matters.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The prospect is that the tariff debate in the senate will continue this week much on the same lines as have been observed since the agreement for the regulation for hours of debate was entered into, notwithstanding the arrangement that the reading of the bill by paragraphs shall be begun on Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

The Republican senators are counting upon the continuance of this program for at least another week, and expect to go on with their general speeches just as they have been doing for the past three weeks.

"General debate," said Senator Aldrich, in discussing the outlook, "will conclude Tuesday at 5 o'clock, and will be resumed Wednesday at 1 o'clock."

Senator Aldrich is among those who have not yet spoken upon the general features of the bill, and he will not now have time to get in before the reading of the bill is begun. Besides replying to Senator Mills, he will devote himself especially to the revenue features of the pending bill.

The speeches announced for the week are those of Washburn today, Mills and Palmer on Tuesday, Higgins on Wednesday and Cullom on Thursday or Friday.

Other speeches, among them one by Senator Lindsey of Kentucky, may be made on any of these days, and if no one else should be prepared to proceed at any time, Senator Quay will continue the speech of which he has already delivered several installments. It is understood that he has not exhausted more than half of the material he has collected upon the various features of the bill, and that when his speech is finally concluded and printed it will make a large book on the tariff.

Senator Dolph may also at any time conclude his unfinished speech. Senator Mills is expected to reply in a general way for the members of the finance committee to the attacks which have been made upon the bill, and his speech will be about three hours in length. Senator Higgins will discuss the Hawaiian question, basing his speech upon the provision contained in the first report of the senate bill for the nullification of the reciprocity treaty with the islands and will advocate their annexation to the United States.

Hot Contest Probable.

Nine Republican senators will make manifest their disposition to contest every inch of ground at the very beginning of the discussion of the paragraphs, as such, day after tomorrow, by attempting to have the provision of the first paragraph, providing that the new tariff shall go into effect on June 30, changed. They will contend that the custom has always been to give at least six months' notice in making a change of the tariff laws. They also say that there are other provisions in this paragraph which will require careful consideration, and a number of them agree in saying that it is probable that the chemical schedule, the first in the bill, will not be reached before next week.

Senator Harris, upon being asked, said that no agreement had been reached for the continuance of the present agreement as to hours for debate, and he was not prepared to say what would be done in that respect when that stage of the consideration of the bill should be reached.

"It will depend upon circumstances," he said, "whether we shall go on as at present. We possibly may during this week, but I should say not longer. We have already had the bill under consideration for three weeks, and its opponents have consumed the greater part of the time. They certainly should have had opportunity to exhaust their long speeches, and if a disposition should be shown to continue to make them, I shall ask for an extension of the daily time for debate.

"We shall have to come to that soon if it becomes apparent that those who are unfriendly to the bill mean to adopt undilatory tactics. I think we shall begin by meeting earlier, and if that change does not suffice to effect sufficient progress, we shall gradually extend the hours into the night, and will then begin a contest which must either exhaust the senators or exhaust the debate, and result in final action upon the bill."

House Forecast.

Appropriation bills will continue to occupy the attention of the house during the week, after today, which, under the rules, will be devoted to the consideration of business reported from the District of Columbia committee.

On Tuesday the diplomatic and consular bill, which consumed the major portion of last week, will probably be finished, and on Wednesday the postoffice appropriation bill, the consideration of which was interrupted by the departure of Chairman Henderson of the postoffice committee as one of the committee to attend the funeral of the late Senator Vance, will be resumed.

The only item in this bill undisposed of is that providing a special subsidy for the fast southern mail. As a strong fight is being made to cut off this appropriation it may require two days to get it out of the way. The general impression seems to be that the adversaries of this appropriation will not be able to defeat it, as it has earnest champions not only in the south, but in the north and west.

Business is so far advanced in the house that no attempt will probably be made to deprive the committee on claims of Friday, the day set apart under the rules, for the consideration of bills on the private calendar. After the postoffice bill is completed, the army bill will be taken up, and should it be completed, the river and harbor bill will follow. There is little chance, however, that the latter bill will be reached this week.

Dropped Dead.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 23.—Gideon Lee, a wealthy real estate owner of New York, and well known in business circles, dropped dead last evening of heart failure.

A Man Without a Tongue.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—James Anderson of Lonsdale had his tongue cut out at the Rhode Island hospital. It was being eaten by cancer, caused by decayed teeth.

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Mass Meeting of 65,000 People on the Common—The Whole Affair is a Large Sized Fizzle.

BOSTON, April 23.—A vast crowd assembled on Boston Common yesterday afternoon to witness the departure of the unemployed for Washington, where they hope to join Coxey's army. When Morrison I. Swift stepped on to the improvised platform there were fully 25,000 present, and soon after the meeting got into working order fully 65,000 were gathered around the bandstand.

The crowd was a good-natured, hustling, bustling one, and did not seem to be at all impressed with the occasion or to be in sympathy with the movement that the meeting was called for, but had come simply to have and make fun, which they did to their hearts' content, but at no time was there anything that could be called disorderly. Swift opened the meeting, but not having a very powerful voice he could not be heard at a great distant, and after standing some time the crowd began to surge forward, and those in front of the speaker were forced on to the small platform, which succumbed to the strain and was broken to fragments. The speaker was thrown against the sapling fence that surrounds the bandstand, and under the pressure from the crowd the fence was bent, but did not break.

Swift took his position on the bandstand, and delivered his characteristic speech denouncing the wealthy, the monopolists and everybody in general that did not sympathize with the socialist platform.

The speeches were continually interrupted by the tactics of the crowd, who, when anything did not meet their approval, would hiss and whistle and commence to push those in front of them until those close to the fence would cry out, and which generally brought forth remonstrance from the speakers.

Swift submitted a letter to President Cleveland, purporting to be a review of the grievances of the "unemployed thousands in New England," and it was adopted by a mighty "Yes."

At this point there was a conference between the leaders while one of them was speaking, and as a result those who had enrolled themselves in the delegation were told to slip away quietly and meet at Roxbury crossing, where Major General Fitzgerald would meet them and would then march to Dedham.

The immense crowd did not know of what had been decided upon, and made a break for Tremont street, where they expected the men to pass. They waited in vain, however, as an hour after the order was given, 45 men, headed by their leader, Fitzgerald, and carrying the yellow flag, were marching toward Jamaica Plain. Traffic on Tremont street was blockaded for several hours after the meeting adjourned by the people waiting to see the "army" start off.

At Dedham.

DEDHAM, Mass., April 23.—The Boston delegation of the unemployed arrived here at 9:30 last evening. Friends provided a repast for the 45 travellers and their leader.

Sweetland's Crowd.

HARTFORD, April 23.—The Connecticut contribution to Coxey's army is booked to start from Bristol tomorrow. Leader Sweetland will devise means to continue the journey to Washington.

WHITE VS. BLACK.

Another Serious Race War Breaks Out In an Alabama District.

TALLULAH, La., April 23.—A race war is on in this section of Madison parish, and so far one white man and one negro have been killed, one white man badly beaten and 13 negroes are now in captivity, charged with murder.

Friday, Charles J. MacFarland, the manager of the Dancy place, had a difficulty with a negro tenant named Josh Hopkins, in which MacFarland was beaten. Friday evening a posse started in pursuit of this negro, who fled. MacFarland and a man named Boyce started at the head, and as they were crossing Brush bayou they were fired upon from ambush. Boyce was killed. MacFarland escaped to the woods, where he remained until yesterday.

As soon as the fact was made known Sheriff McClellan, with a posse, went to the scene. The negroes were located in the woods, late Saturday night, about a quarter of a mile from the place of killing. The sheriff captured Horace Williams. Just as he got to the edge of the woods, Williams made an effort to escape. The deputies fired on him and killed him. Three more negroes were captured and lodged in jail.

Triple Lynching In Alabama.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 23.—At Tuscombia Tom Black, John Willis and Tony Johnson, negro incendiaries, were lynched. They were led to the Tennessee river bridge, ropes were placed about each of their necks, and, with the end tied to the bridge timbers, they were compelled to jump off. The fall broke their necks, and the bodies, after being filled with bullets, were left dangling where they hung.

Italians Want More Pay.

PHILADELPHIA, April 23.—Three thousand Italian street cleaners went out on a strike at midnight for an increase of wages. The men have been working 10 hours a day for 10 cents an hour, and they demand the same hours for work and 15 cents an hour pay.

Burglars In a Postoffice.

MERRIMAC, Mass., April 23.—The postoffice was entered by prying open the front door. The intruders blew open the safe and obtained $7. The tools used in forcing an entrance were stolen from the machine shop of N. L. Howe.

A Providence Mystery.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—It is now believed that Patrick McCreary, whose body was found in the Providence river Saturday, and who was supposed to have fallen overboard accidentally, was murdered. Medical Examiner Palmer found the body terribly mutilated. The skull was crushed, probably by a blow from a heavy club. The right hand is also badly mangled. McCreary was a sailor.

Dead In His Dooryard.

MIDDLEBURY, Vt., April 23.—Russell Wales of Bristol was found dead in his dooryard. Heart disease was the cause.

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EARTHQUAKE

Many Persons Killed and Injured in Greece.

A NUMBER OF CHURCHES THROWN DOWN.

Later Reports Swell the List of Deaths.

ATHENS, April 23.—The earthquake shocks that began at about 7:30 Friday night continued with more or less frequency until yesterday. All Saturday night a moving of the earth was noticed, and the people of this city were in a state of semi-panic.

Thousands of people spent the whole night in the streets, dreading that should they enter their houses a more severe shock might bring the buildings down upon them. Telegraphic communication with many parts of the country is badly interrupted, and it is impossible to get news from some of the towns that must have been affected by the shocks. This uncertainty has given rise to many rumors regarding the loss of life, some of the estimates placing it at a very high number. That it is large there is no doubt.

All the dispatches from the provinces, to the number of killed and injured, will greatly swell the accounts of the damage to property. In three villages alone, Maselina, Proskina and Martino, all in the province of Locris, 129 persons were killed.

A heavy shock occurred at Proskina while vesper services were being held in the parish church, which was quite an old building, but a very substantial edifice. The walls of the church fell, burying all the worshippers in the ruins. The residents of the building were terror stricken at the violence of the seismic disturbance, and some little time elapsed before they recovered enough presence of mind to attempt to remove those covered with the debris of the church. Finally, however, a force was organized and the work of rescue began. Hardly a person in the church escaped without injury. Thirty were taken out dead, amid the wailing and sobbing of their relatives and friends. Houses were thrown down in other parts of the village, and the money loss is great

But Few Escaped.

Some of the villagers are practically ruined. At Malesina houses tottered and fell as though built of cardboard. Hundreds of their occupants were caught before they had time to more than attempt to escape. In this little village 60 persons were killed, some of the bodies being crushed out of all semblance to humanity. In some cases entire families, fathers, mothers and children, were taken out of the ruins dead.

At Martino 39 persons were killed. Here, as at Proskina, the parish church was the scene of the greatest number of fatalities, the walls of the structure being thrown from their foundations and toppled upon the worshippers. The others who lost their lives were killed by falling houses.

It would be almost impossible to describe the scene in these villages. The people appear to be stunned by the severity of the blow that has fallen upon them, and many of them are completely apathetic.

Others who lost loved ones are nearly crazed with grief, and many heart-rending scenes have been witnessed as the dead are tenderly removed from the masses of wreckage that once represented dwelling houses and places of worship.

In the vicinity of Athens the fatalities were less numerous, but the damage to property is immense. The offices of the American Lloyd and other steamship companies were partially destroyed.

The domes, walls and mosaics of the famous Byzantine church of Daphnea were very seriously injured.

King Will Go the Rounds.

King George will start for the maritime districts that have been devastated by the shocks. He will be accompanied by the minister of the interior and other officials, and together they will decide upon the measures that must be taken to alleviate the distress among the people.

The reports that have thus far been received show that very many of the deaths occurred in the churches. Last week was passion week in the Greek church and religious services were held every day and evening. The services were very largely attended, and, several churches falling, this, in a measure, accounts for the large loss of life. A majority of the victims were women and children.

The government will be compelled to adopt extraordinary measures to help the poor in the districts affected. Steps to this end have already been taken, and the state authorities are giving quick response to the calls that are being made upon them.

The total number of deaths thus far reported is 160, but there is scarcely any question that this number will be augmented when the more remote villages are heard from.

When this dispatch was being sent from Athens, a sharp shock was felt that for a time caused consternation among everybody in the telegraph office.

Pacific Coast Steamer Wrecked.

MONTEREY, Cal., April 23.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's steamer Los Angeles, bound north from Newport and way ports to San Francisco, ran on the rocks at Point Sur lighthouse Saturday night. The steamer sank within a few minutes, and the passengers and crew took to the boats. Three men in the forward part of the vessel were caught by the rush of water and drowned

Another Bad Anarchist Captured.

LONDON, April 23.—Owing to revelations made by Francesco Polti, the anarchist, the police have arrested an Italian named Giuseppe Ferrara. It is said that Ferrara controlled the collection and distribution of funds for the anarchist cause, and directed the manufacture and disposal of shells

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BOSTON, April 23.—The employes in the freight sheds of the Fitchburg railroad held a special meeting yesterday. A committee was appointed to request the management that the old rate of $1.75 a day be restored.

The Situation Unchanged.

ST. PAUL, April 23.—Locally there is little change in the Great Northern situation. In the matter of the proposed conference nothing has been developed.

Something Unusual.

HALIFAX, April 23.—For the first time in over 40 years Halifax harbor is closed to navigation by ice. The continuous east and northeast winds that have prevailed for the past two weeks have driven large fields of heavy gulf ice on to this coast, and it now extends from Canso west to Lunenburg.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

An intercollegiate Arctic expedition is being organized.

The colonial legislature of Newfoundland was prorogued.

Five children in one family at Goshen, N. Y., died within a few days.

Actor Bob Hilliard's wife secured a divorce and $25 a week alimony.

Heavy rains in New Hampshire have caused streams to rise rapidly.

Porter Cross, aged 86, a retired building mason, died at Springfield, Mass.

Vice President Harris of the Northern Pacific Railroad company is dead.

James Feciere, living in Ludlow, Mass., was run over by a freight train and died soon after.

Augustin Daly has been tendered a complimentary dinner in London by Consul General Collins.

Charles Brimblecom of Barre, Mass., 60 years old, a prominent lawyer in western Worcester county, is dead.

Great damage by the earthquake in Greece. A warship has been sent to the relief of the distressed district.

Edward H. Thayer, ex-treasurer of the Boston Postoffice Clerks' association, is said to be short in his accounts.

The assistant rector of St. Ignatius church, New York, claims to have been forced to leave by Bishop Potter.

Governor Brown of Rhode Island has been appointed one of the three judges in the declamation contest between Yale and Harvard.

A case of smallpox was reported to the Worcester (Mass.) board of health. The victim is Mrs. George Wiberg, wife of a travelling Swedish minister.

A United States fish car has just finished distributing 50,000 brook trout among the different streams that run by the side of the Bennington and Rutland railroad in Vermont.

William Alexander, who has been creating disturbances in school at Plymouth, N. H., was sentenced to 30 days in jail and costs, the jail sentence to be suspended during good behavior.

VICTIM WAS TIPSY.

Town of Sharon, Mass., Excited Over a Sunday Tragedy.

SHARON, Mass., April 23.—Charles F. Ilkenhaus has been arrested for the killing of James Tracy. Not since the finding of the body of Carrie Whitney, who was murdered on the shore of Lake Massapoag about eight years ago, has there been so much excitement in this little town.

Early Sunday morning James Tracy, who is said to have been half drunk, with two companions, tried to gain admittance to Ilkenhaus' house, and were met by Ilkenhaus at the door. Tracy stood on the top step and his companions were in the rear.

Ilkenhaus opened the door but a few inches and emptied the chambers of a 38-caliber revolver into the body of Tracy.

One of the bullets proved fatal, and that entered his side about 2 1-2 inches above the left nipple, between the fourth and fifth ribs, through his left lung, severing an artery, and through his right lung, striking the fourth rib, on his right side, and lodging just beneath the skin under his arm.

When the first shot was fired Tracy and his companions started to run, and Ilkenhaus, after firing three shots, closed his door, unconscious of the results of his shooting.

The only explanation he gives is that the men were trying to rob his home and he shot in self-defense.

The men said that they came along the road as they always did and made no unusual noises. They say that they went to the house because they saw a light in the window and wanted to get a match. They rapped on the door, and in response Ilkenhaus came, and before they knew what was up the fatal revolver spoke and the next they saw was Tracy staggering out and falling headlong over the stone steps to the sidewalk.

Serious Carriage Accident.

PROVIDENCE, April 23.—A carriage in which four ladies were riding was overturned on Manning street, and all of the occupants were thrown out. Miss Mary Parker was injured about the head and made unconscious, and is believed to have suffered a fracture of the skull.

Fog and Ice Bound.

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 23.—The enormous quantity of ice which has floated down along the Nova Scotia coast has blockaded Halifax harbor, and, together with the dense fog which has prevailed, has temporarily suspended navigation. Many vessels are tied up here.

The Coxey Crowd.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 23.—After a three days' stop in this place the Coxey cohorts are preparing to march on to Frederick. Mayor Fleming of Frederick is preparing a frosty reception of the army. He has announced that no public meeting will be allowed unless in a hall, and that there shall be no parade on the street.

Target Tender Is Dead.

BANGOR, Me., April 23.—Richard W. Hewey, aged 32 years, died yesterday from the effects of a bullet wound received Thursday. He was tending target at the range of the Hamlin Rifles, and came before a target without signalling, receiving a bullet over the heart. He was not seen by the man who was shooting.

An Unexplained Accident.

BOSTON, April 23.—At 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning Andrew J. Hayes, 30 years of age, fell from the roof of the four-story building, 328 Federal street, to the sidewalk, and was instantly killed. How or why young Hayes went upon the roof is unknown, and the police will make an investigation.

An Overdue Steamer.

MONTREAL, April 23.—Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the fruit laden steamship Premier, which left Halifax on Tuesday last for Montreal. Her cargo is valued at $10,000, and is likely to be ruined if the steamer is detained much longer.

Damaging Bomb In Pessaro.

ROME, April 23.—A bomb exploded in a sugar refinery in Pessaro, on the Adriatic. Six persons were injured severely and the building was partly wrecked.

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For Boston, at 6.50, 8.15, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15 12.45, 3.25, 4.10, 5.10, 6.55, 9.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.35, 7.30, p. m.

For Lawrence, 8.30, 9.20, 10.50 a. m.; 12.15, 2.40 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Haverhill, 8.30, 9.20(a. m.; 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 5.10, 6.15, 6.55, p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.35, 7.30 p. m.

For Salem and Lynn, 12.15, 5.10 p. m.

For Newburyport, 12.15, 2.40, 3.25, 6.15 p. m.

For Exeter, and Dover, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls Saco and Portland 8.30 a.m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.10, p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35.

For Augusta, Bath, Lewiston, 8.30 a. m.; 12.15, 3.25, 5.00 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.35 p. m.

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SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, APRIL 23.

SUN RISES..... 4 51 | MOON RISES..11 44 PM
SUN SETS..... 6 35 | HIGH WATER ..... 2 30 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..13 44 | HIGH WATER ..... 2 30 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Local showers; variable winds; slightly cooler in Vermont.

For Massachusetts: Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in western portion.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut: Fair; westerly winds.

NO SENTIMENT.

There is no sentiment in trade. People buy where they can get the most for their money. Compare each edition of THE SUN with any paper in the city issued at the same hour, and see which gives you the most for your money.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner-Cigar.

Girard B. Dadman may be nominated for registrar of voters.

Peter A. Fay, Esq., will be a candidate for chairman of the democratic city committee.

The Andover conference in the Kirk Street church tomorrow will call together over 500 delegates.

Councilman P. J. O'Brien of Ward One will be brought forward by his friends as a representative candidate next fall.

Arthur C. Benner, John B. Coleman and Fred McManagle are the latest candidates for the truant commissionership.

Ex-Councilman W. H. Stafford's name is mentioned in connection with the representative contest in Ward Three.

Don't forget to call and see the line of ice chests and refrigerators displayed at J. J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

The regular meeting of the school board will be held next Monday night, and not tonight as stated by some of the papers.

The Columbia Whist club met with Mrs. Batchelder of Hartings street, Saturday evening, and the first prize was awarded to Mrs. H. G. Cushing.

Among the candidates mentioned for the position of truant commissioner is Michael J. Minning, president of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

Bicycle menders report increased business since Patriots' day. Many cycles came out rather the worse for wear by reason of the riders' enthusiasm and a trip to old Concord.

Arbor day is to be observed by the Village Improvement association of Chelmsford Centre next Saturday. After the work upon the streets and public grounds dinner will be served.

William Lyons the popular employe of the Kitson's Machine shop at the request of many of his friends has consented to stand as a candidate for the democratic city committee from Ward one.

The new Congregational church in North Chelmsford, Rev. Mr. Briant pastor, is to be dedicated next Thursday. The new structure takes the place of the church destroyed by fire in January of last year.

Now that the novelty of the first and only fender equipped electric car has worn off, people are led to inquire what good it would be as a protective prefix while being carried from 12 to 18 inches above the car rails.

Mr. William Benson the well known actor, is visiting at his home in this city. Mr. Benson previous to securing a permanent engagement was a well known amateur actor, having been, for many years, connected with the Lowell Reform club dramatic society.

Some people think, judging from appearances, that it would be nearly as cheap to rebuild the ex-corporation house, corner of Paige and Bridge streets, than to alter it over for store purposes. A new front and new floor timbers seem to be coming pretty near the first principles in building.

The Veteran Firemen.

The new tournament rules of the N. E. Veteran Firemen's league as presented by the committee for consideration at the May meeting, provide for only a few changes from the old code, as follows:

Rubber hose must be used hereafter. None but bona fide members can work on engines or march in the parade. No baggage or luggage wagons of any sort will be allowed in the parade.

Otherwise the rules are the same, including the pipe chain attachments and curved line of hose. The rules have been subdivided and number 30 in all.

The muster season will open this year much earlier than usual. The first muster will be held at Peabody, Tuesday, June 5, under the same management as last year, with the same rules, including the straight line of hose with the overlap abatements.

SEEN AND HEARD.

Rep. Daniel Murphy is mentioned as a candidate for congress——on the socialist ticket.

How it came about was as follows: "Billy" Meade while in Boston on business the other day met P. F. O'Neil, last year's candidate for governor on the socialist ticket. To Billy he explained the workings of the party together with its strength and asked his opinion of the best man to run for congress on the ticket from this district. Billy immediately thought of Rep. Dan Murphy as the man and Mr. O'Neil agreed that Dan would fill the bill, so therefore Dan was made the candidate.

But the candidate himself had something to say in the matter and when approached by a SUN reporter, he said: "I decline with thanks the candidacy. At present my two legs are the same length and I wish to keep them that way." and Dan walked away murmuring something about that quality which some people possess which tends to keep flies away from them.

The office is seeking the man and here is a good chance for some ambitious politician.

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The Friday evening closing movement is between hay and grass, apparently. A. G. Pollard & Co., still continue to close and are in favor of making it a permanent thing, except around holidays, when extra time is needed to serve customers. Last week many stores opened. One of the fancy goods stores did not take in in sales (not profit) enough to pay the cost of electric lights. People trade Saturday afternoons, and as a rule they have gotten out of coming down town Friday nights.

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Engineer Hart of the pumping station told me a few days ago that new big $60,000 beauty, the Worthington high pressure engine, is only run occasionally, as the driven wells system has robbed it of its work. He starts up the big machine to keep the parts in good order and to prevent corrosion setting in.

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The parents of many pupils in the High school complain bitterly that they are obliged to purchase new gowns for their daughters, if the latter are to appear in the calisthenic drill on the annual exhibition day. It appears that the instructress decides what shall be worn and what shall not.

Dr. Colwell DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

LABOR FEDERATION.

EMPLOYES OF THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD UNITED.

They Are Not Organized for Trouble But for Mutual Protection.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 23.—Three hundred of the employes of the Consolidated Railroad company met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming a federation to be made up of the six labor organizations into which the employes are divided. The meeting was purely in the interests of employes of the Consolidated, although there were quite a number of guests from lodges in other parts of the country.

The organizations represented were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, Order of Railroad Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Order of Railroad Telegraphers and Switchmen's Mutual Aid association. The question of forming a system of federation was fully discussed, and a big majority were in favor of the proposition. A committee made up of one member from each of the organizations was appointed to visit every lodge throughout the system and report at a further meeting.

An Open Meeting.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a public meeting was held in the Grand Opera house. C. A. Wilkins of Chicago, assistant grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, said that the meeting did not necessarily mean that the men were planning a disturbance. As a matter of fact, the relations between the Consolidated and their employes were entirely pleasant, and nothing was more remote than the prospect of trouble between them. The meeting was simply for the purpose of becoming acquainted with each other and ascertaining whether or not it was the general opinion that a system of federation would best cement the present cordial relations between employers and employed, and promote the best interests of all concerned.

Rev. Dr. Pullman told the men that the time was coming when there would be no such thing as strikes, but employers and employes would be organized into a common brotherhood.

Church and Labor.

P. H. Morrissey of Galesburg, Ills., first vice president of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, touched on the question of the relations between the church and the organizations, and said that it was the duty of the latter to be closely in touch with the church. The organizations themselves would much prefer to hold their meetings on week days, but owing to the nature of their employment Sunday was the only day on which they could meet. The organizations took pride in the fact that no infidel or agnostic could become a member.

Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen adjured the men to remain faithful to the obligations assumed by them on entering their respective organizations, and to faithfully execute the trust reposed in them by their employers. He mentioned the fact that there are now 20,000 members of the Brotherhood of Firemen and over 675,000 members of the different railway organizations, comprising the grandest industrial army in the world.

A united organization, composed of conductors, telegraphers and every department of the road, was formed.

A letter of regret was read from Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers, who was unable to be present.

Message From the Deep.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 23.—Edward L. Bryan picked up a corked bottle on the beach yesterday, inside of which was a slip of paper with the following inscription: On board S. H. Walker, Jan. 21. Vessel leaking and think she will sink before morning. Inform S. H. Walker, Taunton, Mass. Nickerson, master. There is an American schooner named Samuel H. Walker, hailing from Taunton. Her owner is Samuel H. Walker.

Washout Caused a Disaster.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 23.—A work train on the Grand Trunk road, from Island Pond, Vt., ran into a washout near Wenlock station, killing a brakeman and badly injuring several workmen. The engine and several cars rushed headlong into the river. The engine was wrecked. Washouts are reported on the Maine Central near West Stewartstown and on the Grand Trunk between North Stratford and Beattie.

Next!

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A plan for the creation of an elect body of 25 persons, distinguished in literature and science, the fine arts and invention, has been submitted to the house by Representative Black. The purpose of the bill is to create an organization in this country similar to the "Immortals" of France and to the National Academy of Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Two Bombs For a Mayor.

PARIS, April 23.—Two bombs exploded yesterday just outside the mayor's house in Liege. The Royal theater, which is but a few yards from the house, was slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Many persons suspected of having set the bombs were arrested.

Where Revolutionists Get Coin.

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Herald's Montevideo dispatch says: The ex-minister of foreign affairs of Uruguay declares that the River Plata committee for the Brazilian revolution received $600,000 from European Brazilians for the revolutionary cause.

Republican Leaguers Meet.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A conference of the members of the executive committee of the National Republican league begins today. It is to make necessary preliminary arrangements for the convention of the league and consult with members of the Republican national committee and the Republican congressional committee.

An Unhappy Woman.

BOSTON, April 23.—An unknown woman, about 21 years of age, attempted suicide by jumping off Craigies bridge into the Charles river last night. When rescued the woman was unconscious, but recovered her senses some time after. She refused to divulge her name or to give a cause for attempting to take her life.

No Change In Figures.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—President McBride of the United Mine Workers states that his revised estimate show that more men have struck in the competitive district and fewer in the outlying district than anticipated, but the total number of men out remains about the same as given Saturday, 125,000.

St. Peter's Crowded With Pilgrims.

ROME, April 23.—Eighty-five hundred Spanish pilgrims were present yesterday in St. Peter's at further services held in connection with the beatification of Juan d'Avila Diemo. The ceremonies were marked with all the pomp that attended the beatification services last week.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

If nervous, try Old Hundred cigar.

T. C. Lee, Fire Insurance, Donovan Bl'dg.

Wall paper at 18 Church street.

E. G. Parker, 23 East Merrimack street, has made a tremendous drop in price of coal.

The buildings of the Country club at Tyngs' Island have been placed in fine shape by workmen.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city. Shedd's block, Central street.

Workmen were at work all day yesterday putting in curbstone for the platform on the westerly side of the Northern depot.

By a collision the pony cart of Dr. Plunkett's son was badly damaged in front of the post office late yesterday afternoon.

The entertainment of the Ladies' Sewing circle of St. Patrick's church will take place in Huntington hall tomorrow evening.

A delegation of the Boston Union Veterans union will visit Lowell Friday night, to attend the meeting of the body in this city.

The log boom on the upper river has been put out again. It will take an act of congress, it is said, to get the boom removed.

The book of rules and regulations of the Second High School Regiment has been issued and are in the hands of our high school cadets.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a sitting made.

The tournament at the Vesper club is nearly over. The finish of the schedule shows one team in first position and four teams tied for second place.

Daniel Murphy and Florence Murphy of this city are members of the Mt. St. Mary's college base ball nine. The former is the regular catcher for the team and the latter is playing in right field.

Capt. Batchelder of the Daniel Gage has put in a new Herreshoff boiler of a square pattern. It is a quick steam making boiler. He will have plenty of power to push his big boat through the water this season.

Posters calling attention to the democratic caucuses for the choice of ward delegations of the city committee are out. Candidates should see that their names are sent to proper officers for placing on the ballots.

The coming season will be the liveliest in the history of the Vesper club, according to the fine schedule of events printed in Saturday's SUN. The ladies' night will be an enjoyable affair, made so by the presence of an orchestra for dancing.

Several new members were admitted to the Young Men's Catholic Literary society yesterday afternoon. Two lists of candidates for the various offices headed by John J. Cody and Thomas Pendergast, candidates for president, were submitted. The election will take place next Sunday.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the League Clubs Up to Date.

At Brooklyn—Boston, 5; Brooklyn, 0.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; New York, 8.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Washington, 2.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Chicago, 0.
At Louisville—Cleveland, 5; Louisville, 1.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 3.

Diamond Tips.

The home teams are getting the better of it so far, but the tide may turn after a while.

Washington is putting up pretty fast ball, while Baltimore is doing herself proud.

Every man on the Baltimore team began his career either as a pitcher or catcher.

Pittsburg is trying very hard to get Pitcher Breitenstein from St. Louis, and it is rumored that the deal will be consummated.

The first week ends with Baltimore in the lead and Boston and Cincinnati tied for second place.

Cincinnati rubbed it into Chicago, and Anson must be ruminating on coming events that cast their shadows before.

Mike Slattery has caught Worcester, and it is anticipated that when that team opens in Haverhill on Saturday next a great reception will be given both Connie Murphy and himself.

Boston will have a regular "sawed-off" outfield this season. Duffy, McCarthy and Bannon are all under medium size. They are only small in stature, for they are large and mighty in ability. If Bannon can keep up with the other two he will not be looking for a job next season. —Sporting Life.

Standing of the League.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Baltimore.....	3	0	St. Louis.....	1	1
Boston.....	2	0	Louisville.....	1	1
Cincinnati.....	2	0	Washington..	1	2
Philadelphia.	2	1	Brooklyn.....	0	2
Cleveland.....	1	1	Chicago.....	0	2
Pittsburg.....	1	1	New York....	0	3

An Agitator Murdered.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—Patrick O'Brien, who came here with other agitators, was killed yesterday at Turkey Ridge. He had finished an address to the mine workers, composed mostly of negroes and foreigners, in which he urged them to throw down their picks. A foreigner named Hansent addressed his countrymen. "This man," he said, "would deprive your families of bread when there is nothing to be gained by striking." The lie was passed, and Hansent plunged a knife into O'Brien's body repeatedly, killing him almost instantly. The murderer then fled.

Cheers For Kelley's Men.

NEOLA, Ia., April 23.—Kelley's industrial army made their first day's march from Council Bluffs here, and went into camp in a grove just east of the town. The entry into Neola was a triumphant march, and cheers were lusty as the 1800 men tramped down the town's main street to the more or less musical strains of two country bands. Stores and vacant buildings were thrown wide open, and the weary men were offered all available shelter.

Louis Alexander,

formerly of Fifthavenue, New York, successor to Emerson, tailor, 65 Central street, has received the latest novelties in foreign and domestic suitings, coatings, and trouserings, for spring wear.

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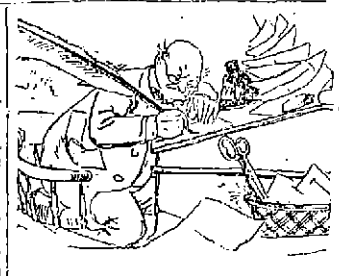

THE SUN HAS HEARD

That the Moody street bridge is not going through this year.

That the republican aldermen evidently know what they are there for.

That they will soon be wondering where they are at.

That business is improving.

That a half-baked democrat on the license commission will not do.

That a bright, energetic democrat can distinguish himself as chairman of the next democratic city committee.

That Councilman Benson has no fears as to the out-come of the representative fight in Ward six.

That the Locks and Canals corporation had better agree to the extension of Aiken street before asking for the Moody street bridge.

That Moses T. Stevens is going to run for congress next November.

That Postmaster Pearson is destined to distinguish himself in his new office.

That Mayor Pickman is likely to appear before a republican convention next fall to thank his friends for the nomination, and to assure them that the honor was entirely unexpected.

That THE SUN prints the news, the whole news, and no fakes.

That some of our local bicyclists are totally indifferent to the rights of pedestrians on street crossings.

That Councilman Curtin will show the members of next year's council, how President Sparks should have performed his duty.

That one of the candidates for the democratic appointment on the coming license commission, is depending upon a promise of treachery to the democratic party for his success.

That Gov. Greenhalge will be fair enough to consult the wishes of the democratic party, and not the republican party in Lowell, when he selects the democratic member of that commission.

That it would be a political outrage to allow the republican party to dictate the three appointments.

That license will not come so high under a commission.

That the commission may not have an opportunity to grant licenses for two or three years.

That pulling other people's chestnuts out of the fire is poor business.

That Lowell is going to vote for no license by a large majority unless the sentiment changes very soon.

That there is nothing on this earth to equal the supreme gall of a republican alderman.

That Postmaster Burbank will take the congressional nomination if he can get it.

That he thinks he can.

That the friends of Knox will give him some hard knocks if he runs their favorite candidate off the switchboard.

That there is no joke in the foregoing for Burbank.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Lawbreakers at Tiverton Receive an Unexpected Visit From Officers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 23.—The sheriff of Newport county with a squad of deputies and police officers from Newport dropped in upon North Tiverton, R. I., just over the state line yesterday morning and captured 43 barrels of beer and three dealers. The deputies were armed with rifles and there was no attempt at resistance.

A week ago yesterday Tiverton was without police protection, the constables not having been sworn in, and a mob of some 2000 gathered. Ring fights and dog and cock fights were to be found every few yards, and there were many scenes of violence throughout the day. In anticipation of another such day of mob rule the people of the town asked for aid from state officers. Squads of police were sent down yesterday from the different stations here to preserve order on this side of the line. A crowd gathered, but the fear of arrest and of summary punishment prevented any repetition of previous lawless proceedings.

A Boston Church Dedicated.

BOSTON, April 23.—With imposing pomp and ceremony St. Cecilia's church in the Back Bay was dedicated yesterday. Archbishop Williams was assisted by Vicar General Byrne and Rev. E. J. Devoll. After the dedication services pontifical high mass was celebrated by Archbishop Satolli, who was assisted by three clergymen. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a picked choir from the various churches in the diocese. Rev. P. A. Halpin of New York preached the sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Satolli celebrated pontifical high vespers.

Drunk or Crazy?

AMHERST, Mass., April 23.—Miss Florence Geer, aged 18, daughter of Mrs. Mallory, was forcibly frightened by a young man who appeared at the door of the Mallory residence entirely naked. Miss Geer was alone. The man asked permission to enter, but attempted no violence. When the girl ran from the house in search of her parents he suddenly disappeared. It is supposed that he was drunk or demented.

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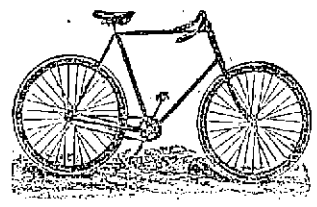

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LOWELL

Trunk Manufactory

Jon Ott, the comedian, sings "Only One," and P. Devine, the Trunk Man, takes up the refrain and sings "Only One Trunk Manufacturer in Town." Others try to bluff the public, but when you want a Trunk get it at Devine's, in the wooden building, 70-72 Middlesex Street. Everything in Leather and Canvass Goods to be found in a Modern Trunk Store. Prices Cheapest in Town.

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An Epidemic of Price-Cutting Throughout our Mammoth Store.

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Dress Fabrics and Baby Carriages

To be inaugurated today and continued throughout the week. "Prices terribly slashed." The public thoroughly appreciate the advantage which our tremendous stocks offer. We emphatically quote the lowest prices ever named on staple, reliable merchandise. Let us detail. It's Dress goods enthusiasm.

DOWN TO 59c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Novelty Dress Fabrics, in checks and Mixtures, that formerly sold at 75c. and 87c. per yard.

DOWN TO 69c. PER YARD.
All our 54 in. Scotch Cheviots, in pin head and splash checks, that have been retailing at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
50 pieces of 46 in. German Henrietta, in all the new shades, any of which is excellent value at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
A mammoth stock of Broadcloths, 54 in. wide, suitable for capes and gowns, in shades of brown, blue, gray, green and black, which cannot be matched elsewhere less than $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 98c. PER YARD.
The balance of our stock of 54 in. French Novelties, Imported for this season's trade, all new, choice colors and weaves, sold to date at $1.25 to $1.50 per yard.

These prices are for this sale. This Week Only.

Wash Goods Corner.

Every new conceit in Wash Goods you will find here, and find a greater variety, as well as better prices.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
Three cases Printed Irish lawns, warranted fast colors.

AT 17c. PER YARD.
Two cases of printed Dimity, in choice styles and excellent quality.

AT 33c. PER YARD.
A beautiful assortment of Imported Dimity Cloths in pink, yellow, blue, cream and black.

AT 15c. PER YARD.
A special lot of Plain Lawns, spotted and figured Muslins.

AT 6½c. PER YARD.
100 pieces of check and striped Nainsook, a regular 10c. quality.

AT 8c. PER YARD.
Two cases of Chambray Ginghams, a regular 12½c. quality.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
An elegant assortment of Lama Challies, retailed everywhere at 17c.

AT 19c. PER YARD.
One case of Bandenberg Cloths, 32 in. wide, superfine quality;

AT 29c. PER YARD.
Three cases of imported Sateens, in very fine quality, grounds strewn with small figures, all new designs and choice assortment of colors.

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At cut prices this week. There is one headquarters in Lowell for Baby Carriages, that is our store. Every style, every quality, every color made, including Wakefield Carriages. "No such assortment is shown by all our competitors combined." Our unprecedented success in this business has been the source of much surprise to all who have watched its remarkable growth. Goods of standard qualities, the best at lowest prices, is unquestionably the reason of our advancement.

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In shades of Mode, Brown, Tan and Black. Elegant goods; not sold in Lowell less than $2. Some get $2.50 for them. To give everybody a chance to have one, we will be open till noon Thursday and till 10.30 p. m. Saturday. Don't miss this chance.

Look at Our 50c. Hats. Our $1.00 Stiff Hats are warranted perfect, being made for us, If they turn out otherwise a new one can be had for the asking.

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday, April 26, 27, and 28. Fifth Annual Tour of

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Strong Company, Magnificent scenery, Elegant Costumes, Pleasing Specialty. An entirely new production at Popular Prices, 10, 20, and 30c.

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LESTER'S

Fifth Annual Reception and Exhibition

—AT—

HUNTINGTON - HALL,

Wednesday Evening, April 25th.

Among the exhibition numbers will be the Serpentine Skirt dance, Dance of the Three Graces, or Cloak Dance, and a dance of All Nations, by little Miss May of Worcester. A Fan Dance by Three Misses, Court Dance by eight little children from five to seven years of age, The Majestic Polonaise and Minuet Quadrille, by the whole class in costume.

CHILDREN'S DANCING

From 7.30 to 9.30, and all exhibition numbers will be after 8.30, so that all may have an opportunity to see them.

General Dancing from 9.30 to 1.

Light refreshments will be served.

Music by Hibbard's Orchestra.

All present and past pupils and friends are invited.

Tickets for General Dancing may be had of pupils or Mr. Lester.

Only Admission Tickets will be on sale at the door.

A discussion which took place the other evening among a number of old smokers was as to the merits of the best Cigar and the honors easily came to

Curfew 10c. Cigar.

SUN WEATHER BULLETIN.

ALMANAC FOR MONDAY, APRIL 23.

SUN RISES.....4 51 | MOON RISES..11 44 PM
SUN SETS.....6 35 | FULL SEA { .. 2 00 AM
LENGTH OF DAY..13 44 | { .. 2 30 PM

Forecast for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Local showers; variable winds; slightly cooler in Vermont.

For Massachusetts: Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; winds shifting to westerly; slightly cooler in western portion.

For Rhode Island and Connecticut. Fair; westerly winds.

NO SENTIMENT.

There is no sentiment in trade, People buy where they can get the most for their money. Compare each edition of THE SUN, with any paper in the city issued at the same hour, and see which gives you the most for your money.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke Tower's Corner Cigar.

Girard B. Dadman may be nominated for registrar of voters.

Peter A. Fay, Esq., will be a candidate for chairman of the democratic city committee.

The Andover conference in the Kirk Street church tomorrow will call together over 500 delegates.

Councilman P. J. O'Brien of Ward One will be brought forward by his friends as a representative candidate next fall.

Arthur C. Benner, John B. Coleman and Fred McMonagle are the latest candidates for the truant commissionership.

Ex-Councilman W. H. Stafford's name is mentioned in connection with the representative contest in Ward Three.

Don't forget to call and see the line of ice chests and refrigerators displayed at J J. Gaynor & Co.'s, 35 Prescott street.

The regular meeting of the school board will be held next Monday night, and not tonight as stated by some of the papers.

The Columbia Whist club met with Mrs. Batchelder of Hartings street, Saturday evening, and the first prize was awarded to Mrs. H. G. Cushing.

Among the candidates mentioned for the position of truant commissioner is Michael J. Manning, president of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

Bicycle menders report increased business since Patriots' day. Many cycles came out rather the worse for wear by reason of the riders' enthusiasm and a trip to old Concord.

Arbor day is to be observed by the Village Improvement association of Chelmsford Centre next Saturday. After the work upon the streets and public grounds dinner will be served.

William Lyons the popular employe of the Kitson's Machine shop at the request of many of his friends has consented to stand as a candidate for the democratic city committee from Ward one.

The new Congregational church in North Chelmsford, Rev. Mr. Briant pastor, is to be dedicated next Thursday. The new structure takes the place of the church destroyed by fire in January of last year.

Now that the novelty of the first and only fender equipped electric car has worn off, people are led to inquire what good it would be as a protective prefix while being carried from 12 to 18 inches above the car rails.

Mr. William Benson the well known actor, is visiting at his home in this city. Mr. Benson previous to securing a permanent engagement was a well known amateur actor, having been, for many years, connected with the Lowell Reform club dramatic society.

Some people think, judging from appearances, that it would be nearly as cheap to rebuild the ex-corporation house, corner of Paige and Bridge streets, than to alter it over for store purposes. A new front and new floor timbers seem to be coming pretty near the first principles in building.

The Veteran Firemen.

The new tournament rules of the N. E. Veteran Firemen's league as presented by the committee for consideration at the May meeting, provide for only a few changes from the old code, as follows:

Rubber hose must be used hereafter. None but bona fide members can work on engines or march in the parade. No baggage or luggage wagons of any sort will be allowed in the parade.

Otherwise the rules are the same, including the pipe chain attachments and curved line of hose. The rules have been subdivided and number 30 in all.

The muster season will open this year much earlier than usual. The first muster will be held at Peabody, Tuesday, June 5, under the same management as last year, with the same rules, including the straight line of hose with the overlap abatements.

SEEN AND HEARD.

Rep. Daniel Murphy is mentioned as a candidate for congress——on the socialist ticket.

How it came about was as follows: "Billy" Meade while in Boston on business the other day met P. F. O'Neil, last year's candidate for governor on the socialist ticket. To Billy he explained the workings of the party together with its strength and asked his opinion of the best man to run for congress on the ticket from this district. Billy immediately thought of Rep. Dan Murphy as the man and Mr. O'Neil agreed that Dan would fill the bill, so therefore Dan was made the candidate.

But the candidate himself had something to say in the matter and when approached by a SUN reporter, he said: "I decline with thanks the candidacy. At present my two legs are the same length and I wish to keep them that way," and Dan walked away murmuring something about that quality which some people possess which tends to keep flies away from them.

The office is seeking the man and here is a good chance for some ambitious politician.

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The Friday evening closing movement is between hay and grass, apparently. A. G. Pollard & Co., still continue to close and are in favor of making it a permanent thing, except around holidays, when extra time is needed to serve customers. Last week many stores opened. One of the fancy goods stores did not take in in sales (not profit) enough to pay the cost of electric lights. People trade Saturday afternoons, and as a rule they have gotten out of coming down town Friday nights.

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Engineer Hart of the pumping station told me a few days ago that new big $80,000 beauty, the Worthington high pressure engine, is only run occasionally, as the driven wells system has robbed it of its work. He starts up the big machine to keep the parts in good order and to prevent corrosion setting in.

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The parents of many pupils in the High school complain bitterly that they are obliged to purchase new gowns for their daughters, if the latter are to appear in the calisthenic drill on the annual exhibition day. It appears that the instructress decides what shall be worn and what shall not.

Dr. Colburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

LABOR FEDERATION.

EMPLOYES OF THE CONSOLIDATED ROAD UNITED.

They Are Not Organized for Trouble But for Mutual Protection.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 23.—Three hundred of the employes of the Consolidated Railroad company met here yesterday for the purpose of discussing the advisability of forming a federation to be made up of the six labor organizations into which the employes are divided. The meeting was purely in the interests of employes of the Consolidated, although there were quite a number of guests from lodges in other parts of the country.

The organizations represented were the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Order of Railway Conductors, Order of Railroad Trainmen, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, Order of Railroad Telegraphers and Switchmen's Mutual Aid association. The question of forming a system of federation was fully discussed, and a big majority were in favor of the proposition. A committee made up of one member from each of the organizations was appointed to visit every lodge throughout the system and report at a further meeting.

An Open Meeting.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a public meeting was held in the Grand Opera house. C. A. Wilkins of Chicago, assistant grand chief conductor of the Order of Railway Conductors, said that the meeting did not necessarily mean that the men were planning a disturbance. As a matter of fact, the relations between the Consolidated and their employes were entirely pleasant, and nothing was more remote than the prospect of trouble between them. The meeting was simply for the purpose of becoming acquainted with each other and ascertaining whether or not it was the general opinion that a system of federation would best cement the present cordial relations between employers and employed, and promote the best interests of all concerned.

Rev Dr. Pullman told the men that the time was coming when there would be no such thing as strikes, but employers and employes would be organized into a common brotherhood.

Church and Labor.

P. H. Morrissey of Galesburg, Ills., first vice president of the Order of Railroad Trainmen, touched on the question of the relations between the church and the organizations, and said that it was the duty of the latter to be closely in touch with the church. The organizations themselves would much prefer to hold their meetings on week days, but owing to the nature of their employment Sunday was the only day on which they could meet. The organizations took pride in the fact that no infidel or agnostic could become a member.

Grand Master Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen adjured the men to remain faithful to the obligations assumed by them on entering their respective organizations, and to faithfully execute the trust reposed in them by their employers. He mentioned the fact that there are now 29,000 members of the Brotherhood of Firemen and over 675,000 members of the different railway organizations, comprising the grandest industrial army in the world.

A united organization, composed of conductors, telegraphers and every department of the road, was formed.

A letter of regret was read from Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Engineers, who was unable to be present.

Message From the Deep.

ATLANTIC CITY, April 23.—Edward L. Bryan picked up a corked bottle on the beach yesterday, inside of which was a slip of paper with the following inscription: On board S. H. Walker, Jan. 21. Vessel leaking and think she will sink before morning. Inform S. H. Walker, Taunton, Mass. Nickerson, master. There is an American schooner named Samuel H. Walker, hailing from Taunton. Her owner is Samuel H. Walker.

Washout Caused a Disaster.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 23.—A work train on the Grand Trunk road, from Island Pond, Vt., ran into a washout near Wenlock station, killing a brakeman and badly injuring several workmen. The engine and several cars rushed headlong into the river. The engine was wrecked. Washouts are reported on the Maine Central near West Stewartstown and on the Grand Trunk between North Stratford and Beattie.

Next!

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A plan for the creation of an elect body of 25 persons, distinguished in literature and science, the fine arts and invention, has been submitted to the house by Representative Black. The purpose of the bill is to create an organization in this country similar to the "Immortals" of France and to the National Academy of Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Two Bombs For a Mayor.

PARIS, April 23.—Two bombs exploded yesterday just outside the mayor's house in Liege. The Royal theater, which is but a few yards from the house, was slightly damaged. Nobody was wounded. Many persons suspected of having set the bombs were arrested.

Where Revolutionists Get Coin.

NEW YORK, April 23.—The Herald's Montevideo dispatch says: The ex-minister of foreign affairs of Uruguay declares that the River Plata committee for the Brazilian revolution received $600,000 from European Brazilians for the revolutionary cause.

Republican Leaguers Meet.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—A conference of the members of the executive committee of the National Republican league begins today. It is to make necessary preliminary arrangements for the convention of the league and consult with members of the Republican national committee and the Republican congressional committee.

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BOSTON, April 23.—An unknown woman, about 24 years of age, attempted suicide by jumping off Craigies bridge into the Charles river last night. When rescued the woman was unconscious, but recovered her senses some time after. She refused to divulge her name or to give a cause for attempting to take her life.

No Change In Figures.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—President McBride of the United Mine Workers states that his revised estimate show that more men have struck in the competitive district and fewer in the outlying district than anticipated, but the total number of men out remains about the same as given Saturday, 125,000.

St. Peter's Crowded With Pilgrims.

ROME, April 23.—Eighty-five hundred Spanish pilgrims were present yesterday in St. Peter's at further services held in connection with the beatification of Juan d'Arvila Diemo. The ceremonies were marked with all the pomp that attended the beatification services last week.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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Wall paper at 18 Church street.

E. G. Parker, 23 East Merrimack street, has made a tremendous drop in price of coal.

The buildings of the Country club at Tyngs' Island have been placed in fine shape by workmen.

Patten & Co. have the finest potted plants and cut flowers in the city, Shedd's block, Central street.

Workmen were at work all day yesterday putting in curbstone for the platform on the westerly side of the Northern depot.

By a collision the pony cart of Dr. Plunkett's son was badly damaged in front of the post office late yesterday afternoon.

The entertainment of the Ladies' Sewing circle of St. Patrick's church will take place in Huntington hall tomorrow evening.

A delegation of the Boston Union Veterans union will visit Lowell Friday night, to attend the meeting of the body in this city.

The log boom on the upper river has been put out again. It will take an act of congress, it is said, to get the boom removed.

The book of rules and regulations of the Second High School Regiment has been issued and are in the hands of our high school cadets.

A true, life like photo is something everybody admires. Marion makes that kind. Visit his studio in Barrister's hall and have a setting made.

The tournament at the Vesper club is nearly over. The finish of the schedule shows one team in first position and four teams tied for second place.

Daniel Murphy and Florence Murphy of this city are members of the Mt. St. Mary's college base ball nine. The former is the regular catcher for the team and the latter is playing in right field.

Capt. Bachelder of the Daniel Gage has put in a new Herreshoff boiler of a square pattern. It is a quick steam making boiler. He will have plenty of power to push his big boat through the water this season.

Posters calling attention to the democratic caucuses for the choice of ward delegations of the city committee are out. Candidates should see that their names are sent to proper officers for placing on the ballots.

The coming season will be the liveliest in the history of the Vesper club, according to the fine schedule of events printed in Saturday's SUN. The ladies' night will be an enjoyable affair, made so by the presence of an orchestra for dancing.

Several new members were admitted to the Young Men's Catholic Literary society yesterday afternoon. Two lists of candidates for the various offices headed by John J. Cody and Thomas Pendergast, candidates for president, were submitted. The election will take place next Sunday.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the League Clubs Up to Date.

At Brooklyn—Boston, 3, Brooklyn, 0.
At Baltimore—Baltimore, 4; New York, 3.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Washington, 2.
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Chicago, 0.
At Louisville—Cleveland, 5; Louisville, 1.
At St. Louis—Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 2.

Diamond Tips.

The home teams are getting the better of it so far, but the tide may turn after a while.

Washington is putting up pretty fast ball, while Baltimore is doing herself proud.

Every man on the Baltimore team began his career either as a pitcher or catcher.

Pittsburg is trying very hard to get Pitcher Breitenstein from St. Louis, and it is rumored that the deal will be consummated.

The first week ends with Baltimore in the lead and Boston and Cincinnati tied for second place.

Cincinnati rubbed it into Chicago, and Anson must be ruminating on coming events that cast their shadows before.

Mike Slattery has caught Worcester, and it is anticipated that when that team opens in Haverhill on Saturday next a great reception will be given both Connie Murphy and himself.

Boston will have a regular "sawed-off" outfield this season. Duffy, McCarthy and Bannon are all under medium size. They are only small in stature, for they are large and mighty in ability. If Bannon can keep up with the other two he will not be looking for a job next season. —Sporting Life.

Standing of the League.

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Baltimore	3	0	St. Louis	1	1
Boston	2	0	Louisville	1	1
Cincinnati	2	0	Washington	1	2
Philadelphia	2	1	Brooklyn	0	2
Cleveland	1	1	Chicago	0	2
Pittsburg	1	1	New York	0	3

An Agitator Murdered.

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 23.—Patrick O'Brien, who came here with other agitators, was killed yesterday at Turkey Ridge. He had finished an address to the mine workers, composed mostly of negroes and foreigners, in which he urged them to throw down their picks. A foreigner named Hanseni addressed his countrymen. "This man," he said, "would deprive your families of bread when there is nothing to be gained by striking." The lie was passed, and Hanseni plunged a knife into O'Brien's body repeatedly, killing him almost instantly. The murderer then fled.

Cheers For Kelley's Men.

NEOLA, Ia., April 23.—Kelley's industrial army made their first day's march from Council Bluffs here, and went into camp in a grove just east of the town. The entry into Neola was a triumphant march, and cheers were lusty as the 1800 men tramped down the town's main street to the more or less musical strains of two country bands. Stores and vacant buildings were thrown wide open, and the weary men were offered all available shelter.

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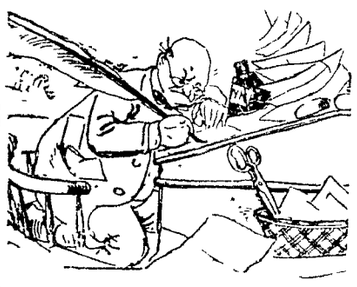

THE SUN HAS HEARD

That the Moody street bridge is not going through this year.

That the republican aldermen evidently know what they are there for.

That they will soon be wondering where they are at.

That business is improving.

That a half-baked democrat on the license commission will not do.

That a bright, energetic democrat can distinguish himself as chairman of the next democratic city committee.

That Councilman Benson has no fears as to the out-come of the representative fight in Ward six.

That the Locks and Canals corporation had better agree to the extension of Aiken street before asking for the Moody street bridge.

That Moses T. Stevens is going to run for congress next November.

That Postmaster Pearson is destined to distinguish himself in his new office.

That Mayor Pickman is likely to appear before a republican convention next fall to thank his friends for the nomination, and to assure them that the honor was entirely unexpected.

That THE SUN prints the news, the whole news, and no fakes.

That some of our local bicyclists are totally indifferent to the rights of pedestrians on street crossings.

That Councilman Curtin will show the members of next year's council, how President Sparks should have performed his duty.

That one of the candidates for the democratic appointment on the coming license commission, is depending upon a promise of treachery to the democratic party for his success.

That Gov. Greenhalge will be fair enough to consult the wishes of the democratic party, and not the republican party in Lowell, when he selects the democratic member of that commission.

That it would be a political outrage to allow the republican party to dictate the three appointments.

That license will not come so high under a commission.

That the commission may not have an opportunity to grant licenses for two or three years.

That pulling other people's chestnuts out of the fire is poor business.

That Lowell is going to vote for no license by a large majority unless the sentiment changes very soon.

That there is nothing on this earth to equal the supreme gall of a republican alderman.

That Postmaster Burbank will take the congressional nomination if he can get it. That he thinks he can.

That the friends of Knox will give him some hard knocks if he runs their favorite candidate off the switchboard.

That there is no joke in the foregoing for Burbank.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Lawbreakers at Tiverton Receive an Unexpected Visit From Officers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 23.—The sheriff of Newport county with a squad of deputies and police officers from Newport dropped in upon North Tiverton, R. I., just over the state line yesterday morning and captured 43 barrels of beer and three dealers. The deputies were armed with rifles and there was no attempt at resistance.

A week ago yesterday Tiverton was without police protection, the constables not having been sworn in, and a mob of some 2000 gathered. Ring fights and dog and cock fights were to be found every few yards, and there were many scenes of violence throughout the day. In anticipation of another such day of mob rule the people of the town asked for aid from state officers. Squads of police were sent down yesterday from the different stations here to preserve order on this side of the line. A crowd gathered, but the fear of arrest and of summary punishment prevented any repetition of previous lawless proceedings.

A Boston Church Dedicated.

BOSTON, April 23.—With imposing pomp and ceremony St Cecilia's church in the Back Bay was dedicated yesterday. Archbishop Williams was assisted by Vicar General Byrne and Rev. E. J. Devett. After the dedication services pontifical high mass was celebrated by Archbishop Satolli, who was assisted by three clergymen. The musical portion of the service was rendered by a picked choir from the various churches in the diocese. Rev. P. A. Halpin of New York preached the sermon. In the afternoon Archbishop Satolli celebrated pontifical high vespers.

Drunk or Crazy?

AMHERST, Mass., April 23.—Miss Florence Geer, aged 18, daughter of Mrs. Mallory, was terribly frightened by a young man who appeared at the door of the Mallory residence entirely naked. Miss Geer was alone. The man asked permission to enter, but attempted no violence. When the girl ran from the house in search of her parents he suddenly disappeared. It is supposed that he was drunk or demented.

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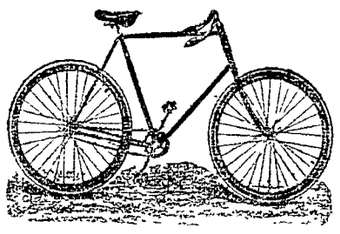

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50 pieces of 46 in. German Henrietta, in all the new shades, any of which is excellent value at $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 75c. PER YARD.
A mammoth stock of Broadcloths, 54 in. wide, suitable for capes and gowns, in shades of brown, blue, gray, green and black, which cannot be matched elsewhere less than $1 per yard.

DOWN TO 98c. PER YARD.
The balance of our stock of 54 in. French Novelties, Imported for this season's trade, all new, choice colors and weaves, sold to date at $1.25 to $1.50 per yard.

These prices are for this sale. This Week Only.

Wash Goods Corner.

Every new conceit in Wash Goods you will find here, and find a greater variety, as well as better prices.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
Three cases Printed Irish lawns, warranted fast colors.

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Two cases of printed Dimity, in choice styles and excellent quality.

AT 33c. PER YARD.
A beautiful assortment of Imported Dimity Cloths in pink, yellow, blue, cream and black.

AT 15c. PER YARD.
A special lot of Plain Lawns, spotted and figured Muslins.

AT 6¼c. PER YARD.
100 pieces of check and striped Nainsook, a regular 10c. quality.

AT 8c. PER YARD.
Two cases of Chambray Ginghams, a regular 12½c. quality.

AT 12½c. PER YARD.
An elegant assortment of Lama Challies, retailed everywhere at 17c.

AT 19c. PER YARD.
One case of Bandenberg Cloths, 32 in. wide, superfine quality;

AT 29c. PER YARD.
Three cases of imported Sateens, in very fine quality, grounds strewn with small figures, all new designs and choice assortment of colors.

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Light refreshments will be served.

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